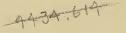


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In "Winsor's History of Duxbury" and elsewhere, we find "John Pabodie 1637; admitted freeman Jan. 2, 1637–8; proprietor of Bridgewater 1645; will dated July 16, 1649; proved June 27, 1666. He married Isabel who survived him. In his will he speaks of Thomas, Francis, and William, and Amie, wife of John Rouse, grandson John Rouse and grandson John Pabodie, son of son William."

We will follow the line of William only. He was born 1620, and died Dec. 13, 1707. He married Dec. 26, 1644, Elizabeth Alden, oldest child of John and Priscilla (Mullines) Alden, born the latter part of the year 1623, or the first part of the year 1624, in Plymouth. She "was the first white woman born in New England."

This has been doubted, that in three years not a single girl was born; but there is no question when all things are considered. We must realize how few were left of the original settlers in the spring of 1621 — only fifty, and very few heads of families. Tradition has it that the "Widow Foord," who came in the "Fortune," had a daughter soon after she landed, but the "Division of Cattle," May 22, 1627, shows that her youngest child was a son, and she brought her daughter with her. Tradition and "Goodwin's Pilgrim Republic" show that John Alden and Priscilla Mullines were married, either the second or third marriage,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>A full account of the descendants of Francis Peabody can be found in the second volume of the "N. E. Hist. and Gen. Register;" and in volume third, page 359, mention is made of the descent of Francis, from John Pabodie, his father, of Duxbury.—Author.

before August, 1623, when the "Anne" came in, bringing Alice (Carpenter) Southworth, who married Governor Bradford, in August, 1623. Elizabeth (Alden) Pabodie died in Little Compton, R.I., May 31, 1717, in the 94th year of her age. "June 17, 1717, the 'Boston News Letter' of this date notices thus her death: 'Little Compton. 31. May. This morning died here Mrs Elizabeth Paybody, late wife of Mr W<sup>m</sup> Paybody in the 93<sup>rd</sup> year of her age. was the daughter of John Alden Esq. & Priscilla his wife, daughter of Mr William Mullins. This John Alden & Priscilla Mullins, were married at Plymouth in New England, where their daughter Elizabeth was born. She was exemplary, virtuous, and pious, and her memory is blessed. Her granddaughter Bradford is a grandmother." Mr. Pabodie and his wife are buried in the Little Compton Cemetery. In the "Division of Cattle," May 22, 1627, Elizabeth Alden is given as three years old, and she may have been considerably more. Just before her death, it was said to her:

> "Rise daughter, to thy daughter run, Her daughter's daughter hath a daughter."

This was Mary Whiting, born January, 1716-17.

We will have to concede that she was "the first white woman born in New England." Peregrine White was the first white male, and Oceanus Hopkins born on the passage. The gravestones of William Pabodie and his wife Elizabeth are in excellent preservation. The descendants of Elizabeth Alden have put up a monument and inserted the old stone in the west side.

On all sides can be found her children and grandchildren. Towards the south lie John and Sarah (Pabodie) Coe; nearer James and Ruth (Rogers) Bennett; west of them Nathaniel and Sarah (Rogers) Searl and their children. North of the monument we find the stones of William and Rebecca (Pabodie) Southworth, while north-east are the

graves of the Churches, Joseph Church and the "Hon. Colonel Benjamin Church, Esq." and their families.

Mrs. Jane G. Austin has written a very charming book, "Betty Alden," but in regard to Betty Alden's character, she drew entirely from her imagination, and "Betty's" descendants resent the title and description. They say she was "dignified, a woman of great character, and fine presence, very tall and handsome. In height she resembled her father, John, the tallest in the Colony - also her brother, Capt. John Alden, known as the 'tall man of Boston.'" In the list of the first baptisms in the Little Compton church, 1704, her name does not appear; but some names must be lost, for sixty-nine were baptized, and only sixty-three are given. Her husband was one of the organizers of the church. But we must not lose sight of the sterling qualities of William Pabodie. He was "a man much employed in public affairs and of much respectability." J. O. Austin's Genealogical Dictionary of Settlers in Rhode Island gives very much about him, gleaned from the public records. He was town clerk of Duxbury, after Alexander Standish. he took the office the town records were burnt, and he entered his own marriage, and births and marriages of his children, very carefully. Would he had done as much for the other families in Duxbury. He lived in Duxbury, close to the Brewsters and Standishes, east of Eagle-nest Creek.

There has been much discussion as to when he went to Little Compton to live. In "1681 he and two others are appointed to run the line betwixt the lands of Sacon-nett and Punckateesett to Dartmouth bounds &c." Tradition also has it that John Coe went down by boat from Portsmouth to Saconnett, landed on the shore near where William Pabodie's house stands, and took up his abode with him while surveying the land, and meeting his daughter Sarah, fell in love with her, and married her. This must have been before or in 1681. William Pabodie may have put up his house and taken his daughter down there with him before he formally

left Duxbury. We find him in Duxbury, June, 1684, and do not have certain proof of his living in Little Compton before 1685–6, when he was selectman. The house that he built is still standing, tradition says, built with money from John Alden, his wife's portion of her father's estate. They also say that John Alden visited his daughter in Little Compton.

The house remained in the Pabodie family till 1740, when it was sold to Pardon Gray, and is now owned by Mr. George Gray, a descendant.

The descendants of Elizabeth Alden have reason to be thankful that it is in such good hands.

Mrs. Gray, descendant of the beautiful Quakeress, Innocent Howland, cares for it reverently as historic ground, and renders the place beautiful with its lovely flowers.

Some few years back a colonial window was thrown out, and in making these repairs, some very old forks and knives were found, and a spoon of peculiar shape and material. The spoon is of bronze, and resembles exactly the bronze spoons used in Holland about 1600. (See Harper's Magazine, 1896, September.) We can imagine this spoon brought in the "Mayflower," remaining in Duxbury till the death of her father and mother, it comes to the oldest daughter.

When William Pabodie went to Little Compton all his children were married but his youngest daughter, Lydia, and we think his son William went with him and lived with him. His son-in-law, William Southworth, and wife Rebecca, followed him soon, and it was not long before a number of his grandchildren began to settle there.

His will was dated May 13, 1707, proved Feb. 27, 1708. Executors, wife Elizabeth and son William.

"To wife east side of house at Little Compton and part of the land given formerly to son William; all to be hers while widow, and also to her all household stuff, cattle, bills due, and money; but if my wife choose to claim her thirds of my

land and house at Duxbury (which I sold Samuel Bartlett) and make use of them, then my son Wm. to have the whole of housing and lands at Little Compton and to pay Samuel Bartlett. 50s. per year during time that his mother makes use of her thirds in Duxbury. To son Wm. after death of his mother, the part of house and land, bequeathed to her To son Wm. other land & all my books tools &c. To three grandsons, Stephen Southworth son of daughter Rebecca, deceased, and John and Wm. Pabodie sons of son Wm. land at Westquadnaug, (west of Providence) part purchased by son in law Wm. Fobes of Shuebal Painter and assigned by Wm. Fobes to my son in law Ichabod Wiswall." He mentions also son-in-law Edward Southworth. daughters Mary, Mercy, Martha, Priscilla, Ruth, Sarah, Hannah, Lydia, 1s each. To daughter Lydia one sett of green curtains, she having already received her part.

#### William Peabodie.

- 1. Wm. and Elizabeth (Alden) Peabodie had the following children, all born in Duxbury (Dux. Rec.):
  - 2 · John Pabodie, born 1645, Oct. 4, and died in Duxbury Nov. 17, 1669. We have no record of any marriage. "The verdict of the jury was 'that hee rydeing on the road, his horse carryed him underneath the bow of a young tree, and violently forcing his head into the body thereof brake his skull." Winsor's Duxbury.
  - 3 Elizabeth Pabodie, born April 24, 1647.
  - 4 Mary Pabodie, born Aug. 7, 1648.
  - 5 Mercy Pabodie, born Jan. 2, 1649.
  - -6 Martha Pabodie, born Feb. 25, 1650.
  - 7 Priscilla Pabodie, born Jan. 15, 1653.
  - 8 Sarah Pabodie, born Aug. 7, 1656.
  - 9 Ruth Pabodie, born June 27, 1658.
  - 10 Rebecca Pabodie, born Oct. 16, 1660.
  - 11 Hannah Pabodie, born Oct. 15, 1662.
  - 12 Wm. Pabodie, born Nov. 24, 1664.
  - 13 Lydia Pabodie, born April 3, 1667.

3 <sup>2</sup> Elizabeth Pabodie (Elizabeth Alden<sup>1</sup>).

Born in Duxbury, April 24, 1647; died before 1707; married in Duxbury, Nov. 16, 1666, John Rogers, Jr., son of John and Ann (Churchman) Rogers, of Duxbury, a grandson of Thomas Rogers, who came in the "Mayflower." She was his first wife. After her death he married a widow, Marah (Browning) Newell, and on her death in 1739, administration is granted on her estate to her sons, John and Moses Newell, of Brookline. John Rogers, Jr., was freeman 1659; constable of Duxbury in 1670, June 5; surveyor of highways, 1671, Oct. 29, and several times afterwards. Constable again in 1681, June 7; and for several years he lived in Boston and Great Barrington. He owned some of the first lots in Tiverton and Little Compton. He died in 1732. There has been much discussion as to the ancestry of the various John Rogerses, but Mr. Drummond's book is so conclusive. I have quoted his facts without comment. I refer readers to his book for further particulars.

Children, probably born in Duxbury:

- 14 <sup>3</sup> Hannah Rogers, born Nov. 16, 1668.
- 15 John Rogers, born Sept. 22, 1670; died unmarried in Boston, Nov. 2, 1696.
- 16 Elizabeth Rogers, born about 1672.
- 17 Ruth Rogers, born April 18, 1675.
- 18 Sarah Rogers, born May 4, 1677.

## 4 <sup>2</sup> Mary Pabodie (Elizabeth Alden<sup>1</sup>).

Born in Duxbury, August 7, 1648; married, November 16, 1669, Edward Southworth, son of Constant and Elizabeth (Collier) Southworth. She survived her husband. He was born "in Plymouth," says Winsor, but I think in Duxbury. His father, Constant, and Uncle Thomas were the only two children of Alice (Carpenter) Southworth, by her first husband, Edward Southworth. The Southworth pedigree can be found in Winsor's History of Duxbury. Constant Southworth married Elizabeth Collier, and had — 1. Edward; 2.

Nathaniel, married Desire Gray; 3. Mercy, married Samuel Freeman, 2d; 4. Mary, married David Alden; 5. Alice, married Col. Benjamin Church; 6. Elizabeth, married William Fobes; 7. William, married Rebecca Pabodie; 8. Priscilla, married first, Samuel Talbot, and 2d, John Irish, Jr. Constant Southworth died Duxbury, 1679-80. widow, Elizabeth, died in Bristol in 1682. Edward Southworth in his will gives: To Thomas Southworth land next to Capt. Alden's. To son Constant, land, etc. To son Benjamen. To son John "I give my half purchased right of land at West Canoag, in the Government of Rhode Island, which I bought of Wm. Pabodie, ½ to sons & ½ to three daughters - Mercy wife of Moses Soule, Eliz. wife of Samuel Weston, & Priscilla Southworth. To grandson Cornelius Soule. & give to beloved wife Mary, one-third part of estate." Edward Southworth and family lived in Duxbury, Mass.

## Children born in Duxbury:

- 19. <sup>3</sup>Mercy Southworth.
- 20. Elizabeth Southworth, born November, 1672.
- 21. Thomas Southworth, born 1676.
- 22. Constant Southworth.
- 23. Benjamin Southworth, born 1680.
- 24. John Southworth, born 1687.
- 25. Priscilla Southworth, born 1693; died unmarried in Duxbury, June 7, 1771.
- 5. <sup>2</sup> Mercy Pabodie <sup>1</sup> (Elizabeth Alden <sup>1</sup>). Born in Duxbury, Jan. 2, 1649; married Nov. 16, 1669, in Duxbury, John Simmons, son of Moses and Sarah ( ) Simmons.

Moses Simmons, formerly written Symonsen, was born in Leyden, of Dutch parents. This Symonson family has been traced from a Samuel Symonson, who came to New York in 1640, back two hundred years; and Moses and, probably his brothers and cousins, Thomas, of Scituate, and John, of Freetown, were of this family. There was but one Moses Symonson, who married Sarah, and came in the

"Fortune." He was not married in 1627, but had, besides John, Rebecca, called "eldest daughter," married about 1655, as his first wife, John Soule (George), and mother of all his children but Joshua, and possibly Josiah. Mary married Joseph Alden about 1564. Elizabeth married Richard Dwelley and Sarah married James Nash and Aaron.

"Mr. Edward Winslow in his brief narrative written in 1646 states: 'Moses Simonson was a child of one that was in Communion with the Dutch Church at Leyden; and is admitted into church fellowship at Plymouth in New England, and his children to baptism as well as our own.' Young's Chronicles, page 393."

Moses Symonson died in 1689, and speaks of himself as "very aged."

John Simmons made his will in 1715, and speaks of wife Mercy, and youngest son Moses, a minor; sons John, Wm., Isaac, Benjamin, Joshua, Joseph, Martha, wife of Ebenezer Delano, and Rebeckah, wife of Constant Southworth. His widow Mercy's will, in 1728, speaks of sons John, Wm., Benj., Joseph, Joshua, Martha, Rebeckah, and Moses. Book 5, page 487, Plymouth Probate Records.

Children born in Duxbury:

- 26 <sup>3</sup> John Simmons, born Feb. 22, 1670.
- 27 Wm. Simmons, born Sept. 24, 1672.
- 28 Isaac Simmons, born Jan. 28, 1674.
- 29 Martha Simmons, born November, 1677.
- 30 Benjamin Simmons.
- 31 Joseph Simmons.
- 32 Rebeckah Simmons.
- 33 Joshua Simmons.
- 34 Moses Simmons.
- 6. <sup>2</sup>Martha Pabodie <sup>1</sup> (Elizabeth Alden <sup>1</sup>). Born in Duxbury, Feb. 25, 1650; died in Little Compton, R.I., Jan. 25, 1712. She married, first, in Duxbury, April 4, 1677, Samuel Seabury, son of John and Grace ( ) Seabury.

He was born in Duxbury, Dec. 10, 1640, and died there, Aug. 5, 1687. She married, second, his second wife, Lieut. Wm. Fobes, son of John and Constant (Mitchell) Fobes, born 1650, and died in Little Compton, R.I., Nov. 6, 1712.

Wm. Fobes married, first, Elizabeth Southworth, daughter of Constant and Elizabeth (Collier) Southworth. Her father was opposed to the match, and gave her her portion "provided she do not marry Wm. Forbes, and if she do," then she was "to have 5 shillings." By Elizabeth Southworth Wm. Fobes had at least two children, Phebe, born 1679, who married, first, a Smith, and then his son-in-law, Joseph Seabury, and Martha, born 1681, who married in Little Compton, in 1710, Josiah Sawyer, and had: John Sawyer, born 1711, died April 17, 1794; Mary Sawyer, born L. C., May, 1715; Abigail, born L. C., 1717; Priscilla Sawyer, born L. C., 1719; Josiah Sawyer, Jr., born 1728. As will be seen later, there was another Sawyer family similar to this, and it is very difficult not to confound them.

Lieut. William Fobes was a man prominent in war and in peace, wealthy, of excellent standing in the community. I give below abstracts from his will, Taunton Prob. Rec., Book 3, page 112:

"I Wm. Fobes of Little Compton . . . Item. I give and bequeath to my son in law, Joseph Seabury, to him, his heirs, and assigns 15 acres of land in the "firste 24 Acre Lott" on the South Side &c. Item. I give and bequeath to my son in law, Josiah Sawyer, to his now wife, Martha Sawyer, to have all the remainder of the 24 acre lott on the North side. Item. I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Briggs the wife of Wm. Briggs, the bed and furniture which are in her possession. Furthermore I give to her eldest son Lovett Briggs, and my Daughter Constant Little, and my grandson Fobes Southworth, and my grandson Samuel Steabury, and my grandson John Sawyer, that acre of land which I have, lying near the meeting house of

Little Compton, in the northeast corner of that land, that was formerly Daniel [illegible] land, which land shall be equally divided. Item. I give and bequeathe to my son John Little, and to my daughter, his now wife, all my land, lying on the wave side of the great high way, being part of the eleventh great lott in number in Little Compton, with all the housing therein. And if my said daughter, Constant Little shall die without issue, then after her decease, & her husbands, then the said lands & housing to return to my grandson, Fobes Southworth, only my sd. daughter in her lifetime may bequeath to my granddaughter Rebeckah Southworth or to any other of my grandchildren 100 lbs of my Item. I give and bequeath to my Grandson Fobes Southworth, the westward end of the fourth Great Lott in number from the great High way to the Sea or Pond, with the Ferry Boat, Wharf & housing, and all the Privileges thereto with the Serge & Mowable land lying between said land and creek etc. etc.

"All rest of lands, housing &c. to John Little & wife, and Fobes Southworth to be equally divided, only Fobes Southworth to pay to Rebekkah Southworth £100, at her of age or marriage. John Little & Fobes Southworth or his guardian to pay just debts," and appoints Justice Thomas Church, of Little Compton, guardian of Fobes Southworth. Executors, Sylvester Richmond and Joseph Seabury. Witnessed by Thomas Gray, Joseph Blackman, Thomas Church. Dated Nov. 4, 1712. Admitted to Probate, 4 Dec., 1712. There was considerable difficulty between Edward Southworth, father of Fobes, and the executors, but it was finally settled. Near to the Peabodie monument can be seen two slate stones:

"Here lyeth buried the body of Wm. Fobes Lieutenant, who departed this life in the 63 year of his age. Nov. ye 6, 1712.

"Here lyeth buried, Martha, late the wife of Wm. Fobes, aged 61 years, & deceased Jan. ye 25, 1711-12 [on the

same stone]. Here lyeth Marcy, ye dau of Wm. Fobes and Martha his wife, deceased, Feby. 14, 1711–12."

Children by Samuel Seabury:

- 35 <sup>3</sup> Joseph Seabury, born in Duxbury June 8, 1678.
- 36 Martha Seabury, born Sept. 22, 1679.
- 37 Posthumous child.

By Wm. Fobes:

I know nothing more.

- 38 Elizabeth Fobes, 1683 (May have all been born in
- 39 Constant Fobes, 1686 \ Little Compton.
- 40 Mary Fobes, 1689
- 41 Mercy Fobes, 1694. Died 1712.
- 7. <sup>2</sup> Priscilla Pabodie (<sup>1</sup> Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, Jan. 15, 1653; died in Kingston, June 3, 1724; married in Duxbury, Dec. 24, 1677, Rev. Ichabod Wis-) Wiswall; born wall, son of Thomas and Elizabeth ( 1637-8, probably in Dorchester; died in Duxbury, July 23, 1700. Rev. Ichabod Wiswall married, first, Remember , and had Elizabeth. He was freeman 1674. He entered Harvard college, but did not graduate. He was settled in the ministry in Duxbury, in 1676. Winsor says, "He was a man of energy and piety, and under his ministry the prospects of the church were bright, and the highest prosperity was secured to his people." He ranked with Mather and Cotton in the estimation of the colonists. "He died much lamented of the people, among whom he had been a friend, an advisor, and an instructor." "He was buried in Duxbury, in the second burying ground, and his monument bears this inscription, 'Here lyeth buried the Body of ye Reverend Mr Ichabod Wiswall. Died July ye 23rd Anno Domini. 1700. in the 63 year of his Age. (Pabodie) Wiswall went to Kingston to live, after her husband's death, probably with her daughter, Mrs. Gershom Bradford, and is buried there." Mr. Thomas Bradford Drew, of Pilgrim Hall, has aided me materially in this family and the two following, making search in Probate

Records, etc. He is a descendant of Priscilla (Pabodie) Wiswall. For Wiswall genealogy see Genealogy by Rev. Anson Titus. N.E. Hist. and Gen. Reg., vol. 40, page 58. His will is dated May 25, 1700, and mentions "my eldest daughter, wife of Elisha Wadsworth," wife Priscilla, son Peleg, daughters Mercy, Hannah, Priscilla, and Deborah.

By first wife:

Elizabeth Wiswall, born Nov. 6, 1670; married Elisha Wadsworth, of Duxbury, and died Jan. 25, 1741.

By second wife, all born probably in Duxbury:

- 42 <sup>3</sup>Mercy Wiswall, born Oct. 14, 1680.
- 43 Hannah Wiswall, born Feb. 22, 1681-2.
- 44 Peleg Wiswall, born Feb. 5, 1683-4.
- 45 Perez Wiswall, born Nov. 22, 1686; probably died young. Not mentioned in his father's will.
- 46 Priscella Wiswall, born Dec. 21, 1691.
- 47 Deborah Wiswall, born 1695.
- 8. <sup>2</sup>Sarah Pabodie (Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, Aug. 7, 1656; died in Little Compton, R.I., Aug. 27, 1740. Her stone and her husband's can be seen in the cemetery almost due south from the Pabodie monument. "In memory of Sarah, ye wife of John Coe, died Aug. ye 27. 1740. in ye 86th year of her age." She married, probably in Duxbury, Nov. 10, 1681, John Coe, son of Matthew and Elizabeth (Whately) Coe, of Portsmouth, N.H., where I suppose John was born June 30, 1649. He died in Little Compton, R.I., Dec. 16, 1728. Gravestone: "Here lyeth the body of John Coe, decd December ye 16th 1728. in ye 79th year of his Age." Tradition says, Sarah accompanied her father on a trip to Little Compton, probably to make a home for him, and that John Coe, a surveyor, came down the river in a boat, landed on the shore near the present location, and helped William Pabodie lay out the lots, and the next year married Sarah. They lived for a few years

in Duxbury, but came to Little Compton before 1688. Sarah Coe was admitted to the Little Compton church, November, 1708. His will—Taunton Probate Records, vol. 6, pages 195–198–199—speaks of his daughters—Lydia Bailey, wife of John Bailey; Sarah Tompkins, wife of Samuel Tompkins; Elizabeth Burgess, wife of Edward Burgess; Hannah Coe, youngest daughter; sons Samuel Coe and Joseph Coe have lands in Little Compton; son John Coe, "In Casco Bay," has money.

Inventory taken by Joseph Southworth, Wm. Richmond, and Edward Gray.

#### Children:

- 48 <sup>3</sup> Lydia Coe, born in Duxbury Feb. 26, 1683; died before 1688.
- 49 Sarah Coe, "" " Feb. 28, 1686; died before 1690.
- 50 Lydia Coe, born in Little Compton, 1688.
- 51 Sarah Coe, born 1690.
- 52 Samuel Coe, born in Little Compton, Dec. 12, 1692.
- 53 Elizabeth Coe, born in Little Compton, March 28, 1694.
- 54 Hannah Coe " " " Dec. 29, 1696.
- 55 John Coe """ Feb. 1, 1699.
- 56 Joseph Coe " " " March 24, 1700.
- 9. <sup>2</sup>Ruth Pabodie (<sup>1</sup>Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, June 27, 1658; died in Duxbury, Aug. 27, 1740; married there, December, 1673, Benjamen Bartlett, son of Benjamen and Sarah (Brewster) Bartlett. He was grandson of Robert Bartlett, who came in the "Ann" in 1623, and married Mary, daughter of Richard Warren, a "Mayflower" pilgrim. He was also grandson of Love and Sarah (Collier) Brewster, and great-grandson of Elder William and Mary ( ) Brewster, who also came in the "Mayflower."

Benjamen Bartlett's will is dated Dec. 10, 1717,— proved April 10, 1724. He names loving wife Ruth, "three youngest daughters, Priscilla, Deborah, and Abigail," other daughters,

Sarah Bradford, Rebeckah Bradford, and Ruth Murdock, also "Mercy, daughter of son William, decd."

I am inclined to think that Winsor has mixed the children of Benjamen Bartlett with those of Samuel Bartlett, and using the will as a basis I shall rearrange them, but hope that any one who can prove an error, will not hesitate to do so:

- 57 Robert Bartlett, born Dec. 6, 1679; probably died young. Not mentioned in his father's will.
- 58 Benjamen Bartlett, probably died young.
- 59 William Bartlett.
- 60 Sarah Bartlett.
- 61 Rebeckah Bartlett.
- 62 Ruth Bartlett.
- 63 Priscilla Bartlett, born 1697.
- 64 Deborah Bartlett.
- 65 Abigail Bartlett, born 1703.

10. <sup>2</sup>Rebecca Pabodie (<sup>1</sup>Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, Oct. 16, 1660; died in Little Compton, R.I., Dec. 3, 1702; married, in 1680, William Southworth, son of Constant and Elizabeth (Collier) Southworth, and brother of Edward, who married her sister Mary. He was born 1659, and died June 25, 1719. The gravestone of these two is one large slab, laid horizontally on concrete and stone, about a foot high. This style of stone was peculiar to the families holding a higher social position, and the Southworths were of the nobility in England.\* The inscriptions are as follows: "Here lyeth Interred the Body of Rebekkah the wife of Capt William Southworth, who departed this life December ye 23, in the 43rd year of her age, 1702." "Here lyeth Interred the Body of Capt W<sup>m</sup>. Southworth, Esq. who departed this life June ye 25. 1719. in the 60th year of his age." William Southworth married a second wife, widow Martha (Kirkland) Blague (afterwards Blake). Her first husband was Joseph Blague. She was daughter of Nathaniel

<sup>\*</sup>See Southworth Pedigree in Winsor's "Hist. of Duxbury."

and Parnell Kirkland. See N. E. Hist. and Gen. Reg., 7-29, and Savage, under Blague.

William Southworth's will, book 3, page 575, Taunton Probate Records. Dated May 8, 1719. Entered Aug. 27, 1719:

"To wife Martha. To sons Benjamen, Joseph, Edward, Samuel, small gifts 'for they have received before.' To Nathaniel £400. To Thomas, 20 shillings 'he rec'd before.' To Stephen, half a negro man, 'rec'd before.' To Gideon Southworth 20 shillings 'rec'd before.' To Andrew Southworth, half a negro man, 'rec'd before.' To dau's Elizabeth Little, Allice Cook. Two grandsons William and Constant Southworth."

Witnesses John Wood, Peter Taylor, Sylvester Richmond.
Martha Southworth, widow, in her will speaks of sons
Joseph and Samuel Blake, granddaughter Mary Blake, and
daughter Mary Southworth, wife of Joseph, and makes sonin-law Joseph Southworth executor.

Children, probably most of them born in Duxbury:

- 66 Benjamen Southworth, born April 18, 1681.
- 67 Joseph Southworth, born Feb. 1, 1683.
- 68 Edward Southworth, born Nov. 23, 1684.
- 69 Elizabeth Southworth, born Sept. 23, 1686.
- 70 Alice Southworth, born July 14, 1688.
- 71 Samuel Southworth, born Dec. 26, 1690.
- 72 Nathaniel Southworth, born Oct. 31, 1692.
- 73 Thomas Southworth, born Dec. 13, 1694.
- 74 Stephen Southworth, born March 31, 1696.

## By second wife:

Gideon Southworth, born March 21, 1707. Andrew Southworth, born 1709.

Gideon was published "Intentions of marriage with Priscilla Pabodie Jan. 1727 dau of <sup>2</sup> W<sup>m</sup>. & Judith Pabodie," but he was *never married to her*, evidently a lovers' quarrel, for she married William Wilcox. Otis Wilborn, in copying the

old Little Compton Records, assuming they married, gives Priscilla Pabodie as Gideon Southworth's first wife. Gideon Southworth married first and only time, in 1728, Mary Wilborn, daughter of John and Sarah (Palmer) Wilborn. He finally went to Rochester, Mass., to live. He had thirteen children: Isaac and Parnell, born July 31, 1729; Wilbor, 1733; Sarah, 1736; Elizabeth, 1738; William, 1740; Rachel, 1742; Alice, 1744; Lois, 1746; Mabel, 1748; ——; Hannah, 1755.

Andrew Southworth, born Sept. 12, 1709; married Temperance Kirkland and went to Connecticut. I do not know when William Southworth went to Little Compton, certainly before 1700. None of them connected themselves with the church.

11. <sup>2</sup> Hannah Pabodie (<sup>1</sup> Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury; Oct. 15, 1662; died after 1714; married, Aug. 2, 1683, Samuel Bartlett, brother of Benjamen, who married her sister Ruth (see that family for pedigrees). He was born, (?); died 1713.

A letter of administration was granted on the estate of Samuel Bartlett "to his Relict Hannah," Dec. 9, 1713. His estate was divided in 1714, and mentions widow; sons Benjamen, Samuel, Ichabod; daughters, Hannah, Elizabeth, Lydia, Sarah. The son Ichabod and daughters Lydia, Sarah, and Elizabeth were minors, and had guardians appointed.

Winsor gives William and Judah, but I have transferred William to the family of Benjamen, and if there was a Judah he was dead in 1814. In my copy of Winsor's Duxbury (second hand), Judah was erased and Judith inserted. Winsor says that Samuel, the father, was a mariner.

We will now say the children are as follows, all probably born in Duxbury:

- 75 Benjamen Bartlett, born 1684. Davis's
- 76 Joseph Bartlett, born 1686. \(\frac{1}{4}\) "Landmarks
- 77 Samuel Bartlett, born 1688. of Plymouth."

- 78 Hannah Bartlett.
- 79 Ichabod Bartlett.
- 80 Elizabeth Bartlett.
- 81 Lydia Bartlett.
- 82 Sarah Bartlett.

Possibly Judah or Judith, died young. Possibly William, died young.

12. <sup>2</sup> William Pabodie (<sup>1</sup>Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, Nov. 24, 1664; died in Little Compton, Sept. 17, 1744. Gravestone: "In memory of William Pabodie, who died September ye 17th 1744 in ye 80th year of his age." He married (?); born 1669-70, who died July Judith Gravestone: "Here lyeth ye body of Judith, 26. 1714. ye wife of W<sup>m</sup> Pabodie, who departed this life in ye 45th yeare of her age, July ye 28. 1714." He married, second, (?); born 1673. Gravestone: "Here lyeth Elizabeth ye Body of Elizabeth, ye second wife of William Pabodie, who dyed Decembr ye 14. 1717, aged about 45 years." He married, third, Mary (Morgan) Starr, widow of Thomas Starr, of New London, Conn., and daughter of Capt. James and Mary (Vine) Morgan. She was born March 20, 1670, and Starr Genealogy says: "she died the widow of William Pabodie, Sept. 14, 1675." William Pabodie, Sr., and William Pabodie, Jr., were among those who organized the church in 1704. Judith Pabodie joined the church in 1707. July 6. William Pabodie, Jr., lived in Little Compton in the homestead. He was a deacon. He made his will Aug. 7, 1743; proved 1744, Nov. 12. Exs. sons John and William; to wife Mary, a feather-bed and household stuff, that was hers before marriage; also, while widow, suitable clothing, house-room, meat, drink, washing, and lodging, and £5 paid yearly by son William, and £5 by sons John and Joseph. To son John, 120 acres, on south side of farm and To sons William and Joseph, rest of farm, but buildings. William's part to be £200 better than Joseph's. To son Benjamen, certain land, and all moveables in the house that

was his mother's. To dau. Elizabeth, wife of Edward Gray, £25. To daughter Rebecca, wife of Joseph Fish, £8. To dau. Priscilla, wife of William Wilcox, £10. The foregoing to be paid by son John. To daughter Judith, wife of Benjamen Church, £20. To dau. Mary, wife of Nathaniel Fish, £25. These sums to be paid by son William. To sons John and William rest of estate. Inventory £4,912. I quote from J. O. Austin's Gen. Dict. of R.I. Settlers.

Children, all born in Little Compton — By first wife:

- 83 Elizabeth Pabodie, born April 10, 1698.
- 84 John Pabodie, born Feb. 7, 1700.
- 85 Wm. Pabodie, born Feb. 21, 1701.
- 86 Rebecca Pabodie, born Feb. 29, 1704.
- 87 Priscilla Pabodie, born March 4, 1706.
- 88 Judith Pabodie, born Jan. 23, 1708.
- 89 Joseph Pabodie, born July 26, 1710.
- 90 Mary Pabodie, born April 4, 1712.

## By second wife:

- 91 Benjamen Pabodie, born Nov. 25, 1717.
- 13. <sup>2</sup>Lydia Pabodie (<sup>1</sup>Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, April 3, 1667; died July 13, 1748, in old Killingworth, Conn. (now Clinton); married, about 1683, Daniel Grinnell, probably born in Portsmouth, R.I., about 1668, son of Daniel and Mary (Wodell) Grinnell. He was of French Huguenot descent. His grandfather, Matthew Grinnell, is spoken of in Baird's "History of Huguenot Emigration to America." From the Town Records we find that Lydia was aged cighty-years at death book 2, page 91. Daniel Grinnell and wife Lydia removed early to Saybrook, and at the organization of the third church, of fourteen members, among those recommended from other churches was Lydia Grinnell, June 20, 1726. Among those added before 1731, "claiming right of the Lord's table," were Daniel, Ruth, Mary, George Grin-

nell. Daniel Grinnell, the father, was chosen first deacon, but declined. At Court of Probate held at Guildford, Conn. Jan. 20, 1740–41, Peabody and George Grinnell, two of the executors of David Grinnell's will, had will recorded. It was dated November, 1726, and speaks of beloved wife Lydia; daughters Mary Lay, Priscilla Redfield, Elizabeth Stevens, Lydia Clark, Rebecca Donde or Doude, Sarah Brocker, Jemima Chalker; and two sons, Peabody and George Grinnell.

I think the first children were born in Little Compton and not recorded and the others in Saybrook.

#### Children:

- 92 <sup>3</sup> Peabody Grinnell, born about 1684.
- 93 George Grinnell, born about 1686.
- 94 Mary Grinnell, born about 1688.
- 95 Priscilla Grinnell, born about 1690.
- 96 Ruth Grinnell, probably died before her father, unmarried.
- 97 Elizabeth Grinnell.
- 98 Lydia Grinnell.
- 99 Sarah Grinnell.
- 100 Jemima Grinnell, born July 26, 1704-5.
- 101 Daniel Grinnell, born July 11, 1707-8.







#### THIRD GENERATION.

14. Hannah <sup>3</sup> Rogers (<sup>2</sup> Elizabeth Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, Nov. 16, 1668; died in Milton; married, July, 1689, Samuel Bradford, of Duxbury, son of Major <sup>2</sup> William and Alice (Richards) Bradford. He was born in Duxbury, 1668, and Bradford Gen. N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register says, died April 11, 1714. He is buried in "the second burying ground in Duxbury." Winsor's Dux. This burying ground is near the railroad station of South Duxbury. His stone is quite illegible, but I made it out as follows:

"Here lyes Capt. Samuel Bradford of Duxbury, who died Feb. 17, 1714, in 47th year of his age."

Children, probably all born in Duxbury:

- 103 <sup>4</sup> Hannah Bradford, born Feb. 14, 1689-90.
- 104 Gershom Bradford, born Dec. 21, 1691.
- 105 Perez Bradford, born Dec. 28, 1694.
- 106 Elizabeth Bradford, born Dec. 15, 1696.
- 107 Jerusha Bradford, born March 10, 1699.
- 108 Welthea Bradford, born May 15, 1702.
- 109 Gamaliel Bradford, born May 18, 1704.
- 15. <sup>3</sup> Elizabeth Rogers (<sup>2</sup> Elizabeth Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, , 1672; died Oct. 23, 1724, in Little Compton. She married Sylvester Richmond, son of Edward and Amey (Bull) Richmond. He was born 1672; died Nov. 20, 1754, in Little Compton. She was his first wife. He married, second, Deborah (Cushing) Loring, daughter of Hon. John and Sarah (Hawke) Cushing. The gravestones are well preserved and handsomely carved. They read, "Here lyeth the Body of Elizabeth, ye wife of Sylvester Richmond Esq. who died October ye 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1724, in ye 52nd year of her age." "In memory of Col. Sylvester Richmond Sy

Samuel Seabury died 1681, not 1687, as stated on page 11. See No. 6.

mond of Dartmouth who died November ye 20th, 1754, in ye 81st year of his age." "Here lyeth ye Body of Hannah, ye daughter of Sylvester Richmond Esq. and of Elizath his wife, died January ve 20th, 1728 in the 20th year of her age." "In memory of Mrs Deborah Richmond, Relic of Col. Sylvester Richmond, and formerly the wife of Mr. Thomas Loring. She died Oct. 18, A.D. 1770 aetatis 96." "Fare well vain world &c." Sylvester Richmond was prominent in Little Compton affairs; later in life of Dartmouth, but I presume not far over the line, for he kept up his connection with the Little Compton church. For further particulars those interested will, no doubt, find what they wish by consulting the new Richmond genealogy, just coming out, compiled by Joshua Richmond, of Brookline, Mass. In Austin's "Genealogical Dictionary" I find, "In May 1701 May 29, he bought of John Rogers of Boston. He bought 40 acres in Little Compton for £60, of William Earle, Feb. 7, 1727. made a covenant with Deborah Loring & Caleb Loring, previous to marriage to said Deborah." He "held the title of Colonel." He served in the French war, but was not the Colonel Richmond present at taking of Louisburg. This was his son. He was one of the founders of the church in Little Compton, and continuously to this day this family is represented in the church. Elizabeth, his wife, joined the church Oct. 4, 1705.

Children, probably all born in Little Compton:

- 110 'William Richmond, born Oct. 10, 1694.
- 111 Elizabeth Richmond, born May 10, 1696.
- 112 Sylvester Richmond, born June 30, 1698.
- 113 Peleg Richmond, born Oct. 25, 1700.
- 114 Perez Richmond, born Oct. 5, 1702.
- 115 Ichabod Richmond, born Feb. 27, 1704.
- 116 Ruth Richmond, born March 7, 1705.
- 117 Hannah Richmond, born July 9, 1709. Bapt. L. C. Church, 1709, died Jan. 20, 1728.
- 118 Sarah Richmond born Oct. 31, 1711.

- 119 Mary Richmond, born Nov. 29, 1713.
- 120 Rogers Richmond, born May 25, 1716.
- 17. <sup>3</sup> Ruth Rogers (<sup>2</sup> Elizabeth Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born April 18, 1675; died in Little Compton. "Here lyeth the Body of Ruth, the wife of James Bennett, died April ye 28, 1725, in the 50th year of her age." She married at Bristol, , James Bennett, son of John Bennett, of Charlestown, and Mary —, his wife. See Wyman's Charlestown Genealogies, and East Cambridge Probate Records and Registry of Deeds. His mother afterwards married a Meades, and she is buried in Little Compton near her son James. A deed at East Cambridge speaks of James and Ruth Bennett, John Bennett, Mary Bennett, and Josiah and Rebecca (Cutler) Bennett, and their mother Mary Meades, widow of John Bennett, of Charlestown. A still later deed speaks of John and Ruth Bennett. Ruth (Rogers) Bennett was not mentioned in her father's will, and was dead without children. James Bennett married, second, Ruth's cousin, once removed, Mercy Simmons. James Bennett was one of the organizers of the church in 1704. Ruth Bennett was admitted to the church Oct. 4, 1705. In the cemetery we find the stones with the following inscriptions: "Here lyeth the Body of James Bennett, died Febry ye 17th, 1729-30, in ye 64th year of his age; " also, "Here lyeth the Body of Mary Meades, alias Bennett, mother of James Bennett who dyed March ye 5th, 1729, in ye 79th year of her age." I think that John Bennett who "died July ye 25, 1752, in the 61st year of his age," and is buried in the Little Compton cemetery, is James Bennett's brother, and that Mary Bennett who married Thomas Palmer was his sister.
- 18. <sup>3</sup> Sarah Rogers (<sup>2</sup> Elizabeth Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Elizabeth Alden). Born May 4, 1677; died in Little Compton Jan. 19 or 20, 1770. Gravestone says: "Jan. 19, 1769 in the 92<sup>nd</sup> year of her age;" married, about 1694, Nathaniel

Searle, of Dorchester, son of Robert and Deborah Searle, born in Dorchester, June 9, 1662. He came to Little Compton after 1696. Deborah, his daughter, was baptized Dec. 21, 1701. On "June 7, 1696, Nathl Searles of Little Compton laid hold on the covenant." Among the sixty-nine baptized Nov. 1, 1700, by Rev. Peter Thacher and Mr. John Danforth, were "children of Nathaniel Searle, John and Sarah." On "June 26, 1700, Nath'l Searle and Sarah his wife" admitted to the church. Nathaniel Searle was the first schoolmaster. The first school had a peaked top,



erected 1724, and was located on the old colony road, on the grounds of Mrs. Charles Wilbur, better known in the village as "Aunt Sarah Charles Wilbour." She was the antiquarian of the village, and she had a peaked stone chiselled out and placed on

the stone wall, with the words "Peaked Top School house, erected 1724," under it. The inscriptions on the stones in the graveyard, very near the Pabodie monument, are as follows: "Here lyeth ye body of John, son of Nath'l Searle, and Sarah his wife. He was drowned March ye 26, 1714. Buried May ye 23 following—aged 16 years, & 14 days." "In memory of Nathaniel Searle, died Feb. ye 5th 1749—50 in ye 88th year of his age." "In memory of Sarah, the wife of Mr. Nathaniel Searle, who died Jan. 10, 1769, in ye 92nd year of her age."

#### Children:

- 121 'Deborah Searle, born in Dorchester, Nov. 17, 1695.
- 122 John Searle, born in Dorchester, March 12, 1698; died, drowned March 20, 1714.
- 123 Sarah Searle, born April 2, 1700, probably in Little Compton, R.I.
- 124 Nathaniel Searle, born in Little Compton, April 26, 1703.
- 19. <sup>3</sup> Mercy Southworth (<sup>2</sup> Mary Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Elizabeth

Alden). Born in Duxbury about 1670; died, I think, about 1728; probably mother of all the children; married, about 1701, Moses Soule, son of John and Rebecca (Simmons) Soule. Probably he was no younger than his wife. Winsor says he had land granted to him in 1707. I feel sure he married, second, Sarah Chandler, Jan. 15, 1729. She was probably daughter of Joseph and Martha (Hunt) Chand-, 1714. This makes her very young, fifteen, to ler, born marry a man at least sixty years old; but such things have been done. It is possible that Moses Soule may have had a son Moses, who died before his father, without children; or Moses, who married Sarah Chandler, may have been a son of Aaron, brother to Moses, senior. I feel sure all the children of Moses, senior, had Mercy Southworth for a mother. Winsor says Mercy Southworth, daughter of Edward Southworth, married Micah Soule in 1740. That 4 Mercy Southworth was granddaughter of Edward Southworth. The estate was divided into ten parts in 1751. There was no mention made of a widow. The division was as follows: Isaac Soule (eldest son); Cornelius Soule; Barnabas Soule; Ichabod Soule, deceased, and Abigail, his only child; Gideon Soule; Jedediah Soule; Ruth Soule; Elizabeth Soule, wife of Barnabas Perry; \* Deborah, wife of John Hunt.

Cornelius Soule was remembered in his grandfather Edward Southworth's will.

Children, all probably born in Duxbury:

- 125 4 Isaac Soule.
- 126 Cornelius Soule, born 1703.
- 127 Barnabas Soule, born 1705.
- 128 Ichabod Soule, born
- 129 Gideon Soule, born
- 130 Ruth Soule, born . I think the Miss Ruth Soule who died March 17, 1777.
- 131 Elizabeth Soule, born
  - \*" Old Times at Yarmouth, Maine," gives this as Berry.

- 132 Deborah Soule, born
- 133 Jedediah Soule, born 1720.

20. <sup>3</sup> Elizabeth Southworth (<sup>2</sup> Mary Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury Nov., 1672; died ; married, March 4, 1716, <sup>3</sup> Samuel Weston, son of <sup>2</sup> Elnathan Weston (<sup>1</sup> Edmund) and Desire Standish. His mother was daughter of <sup>2</sup> Alexander Standish and his second wife Desire (Dotey, Sherman, Holmes) Standish. He was born in Duxbury, date of his birth unknown. "He lived in Duxbury; selectman, 1740–45–47, and was a man widely known and respected." (See Weston Gen. N.E. Reg., Vol. 41, page 286; also note in "Boston Transcript" by T. E. W., 4.)

"Samuel Weston received from his father, by his will, the home farm, and was charged to provide for carefully and look after his mother as long as she lived." He was appointed executor of his father's will, probated 1729. Samuel Weston died in February, 1752, and his will was probated March 2, 1752. He speaks of his wife Elizabeth, son Samuel, son Elnathan, daughters Mary and Priscilla Weston, two sons, Samuel and Elnathan Weston. Executors' inventory was £338-15-2.

## Children, born in Duxbury:

- 134 Samuel Weston, born March 5, 1718; died July 17, 1754, without a family.
- 135 Zabdiel Weston, born Jan. 22, 1720; died Oct. 12, 1739.
- 136 Mary Weston, born July 18, 1722; died December, 1778. On Dec. 7, 1778, Simeon Soule was administrator on the estate of Mary Weston, single woman. Inventory £83. 90. 0d.
- 137 Priscilla Weston, born Jan. 24, 1725; died Jan. 7, 1756.
- 138 Elnathan Weston, born Sept. 29, 1727.
- 21. Thomas Southworth (2 Mary Pabodie, 1 Eliz.

Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1676; died Sept. 9, 1742. He married [abt. 1700?] <sup>3</sup> Sarah Alden, daughter of Capt. <sup>2</sup> Jonathan Alden \* (<sup>1</sup> John) and Abigail (Hallett) Alden.

She was born in Duxbury about 1681. She died abt. 1739. Her gravestone is in Duxbury. His gravestone says: "He died Sept. 9, 1743 ae 67." Thomas Southworth's will, dated Aug. 21, 1742, proved Sept. 22, 1742, mentions Hannah, widow of son Jedidiah and grandsons John and James, speaks also of five grandsons — sons of Jedidiah; also of granddaughter Deborah Loring.

Children, born in Duxbury:

- 139 Deacon <sup>4</sup> Jedidiah Southworth, of Duxbury, born about 1702.
- 140 Mary Southworth, born in Duxbury Sept. 18, 1703.
- 22. <sup>3</sup> Constant Southworth (<sup>2</sup> Mary Pabodie, Eliz. Alden). Born probably in Duxbury; died there 1731; married, Feb. 10, 1715, Rebecca Simmons, daughter of John and Mercy (Pabodie) Simmons. We do not know where she was born or where she died. We find no will of Constant Southworth's. From Davis's "Landmarks of Plymouth" we find three children:
  - 141 4 Wm. Southworth.
  - 142 Benjamen Southworth.
  - 143 Mercy Southworth.
- 23. <sup>3</sup> Benjamen Southworth (<sup>2</sup> Mary Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1680; died May 12, 1756, æt. 75; married, Aug. 4, 1715, Rebecca Delano, daughter or Samuel and Elizabeth (Standish) Delano. She was born 1684 and died Sept. 6, 1774, æt. 90. Benjamen Southworth, in will made 1756, vol. 14, page 141, Plymouth Probate Records, speaks of wife Rebecca, eldest son Thomas, three sons, Constant, Obed, and Jasper, daus. Hannah Herrington, Elizabeth, and Deborah.

<sup>\*</sup>A descendant in Supplement to Alden Memorial says she was daughter of <sup>2</sup> David Alden (<sup>1</sup> John), but the above is proved by probate records.

Children, probably born in Duxbury:

- 144 4 Hannah Southworth.
- 145 Thomas Southworth.
- 146 John Southworth.
- 147 Constant Southworth.
- 148 Obed Southworth.
- 148a Jasper Southworth.
- 148b Elizabeth Southworth.
- 148c Deborah Southworth.
- 24. <sup>3</sup> John Southworth (<sup>2</sup> Mary Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1687; died Aug. 10, 1751, et. 64. If he was married his wife died before him, without children. His will, dated Feb. 15, 1750, proved Sept. 2, 1751, names sister Priscilla, sister-in-law Rebecca Southworth, kinswoman Mary Weston, "whose name before marriage was Mary Southworth," Reumah Southworth, daughter of William, Edward Southworth, son of Wm. Southworth, Wm., son of Constant.
- 26. <sup>3</sup>John Simmons (<sup>2</sup> Mercy Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, Feb. 22, 1670; died about 1739; married in Duxbury Susannah Tracy, Nov. 4, 1715. She died Sept. 12, 1756, et. 82. Winsor and others say that John, son of John and Mercy (Pabodie) Simmons, married Experience Pincknell, but her husband, John, was dead 9 Nov., 1711, and his wife administered on the estate, and no children are mentioned. John Simmons, Sen., mentions his son in his will as alive in 1715, and Mercy, his wife, mentions him in her will in 1728. Therefore, I have taken the John Winsor has given to <sup>2</sup>Aaron Simmons (<sup>1</sup>Moses), and placed him as son of John and Mercy (Pabodie) Simmons, and given John, husband of Experience, to <sup>2</sup> Aaron Simmons (<sup>1</sup> Moses). The will of John Simmons, Jr., speaks of wife Susannah, John, "eldest Son," Ruth, Joel, and Leah. Book 8, p. 180, Plymouth Probate Records. In 1733, guardianship is given of Joel and Leah, of Duxbury, to widow Susannah

Simmons, their mother, and to Thomas Tracy, of Marshfield, "being daughters of John Simmons, late of Duxbury." Book 8, pages 85 and 86.

Children, probably all born in Duxbury:

- 149 John Simmons, born Aug. 22, 1716.
- 150 Ruth Simmons, born April 26, 1719.
- 151 Joel Simmons, born Feb. 5, 1723.
- 152 Leah Simmons, born Sept. 7, 1728.

27. <sup>3</sup>William Simmons (<sup>2</sup>Mercy Pabodie, <sup>1</sup>Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury Sept. 24, 1672, and died in 1765 in Little Compton, R.I.; married in 1696, probably in Little Compton, R.I., Abigail Church, daughter of <sup>2</sup> Joseph Church (1 Richard) and Mary (Tucker) Church. She was born 1680, probably in Hingham, Mass., and died in Little Compton, R.I., "July 4, 1720, in the 40th year of her age" gravestone in old cemetery. Next her grave is the base of a large stone, which probably marks the grave of her husband. Wm. Simmons made his will, 8 March, 1750. Recorded Sept. 28, 1765. He gives to beloved son Wm., whom he appoints executor, "my new dwelling house, and the westerly end of my orchard, so far as the fence stands. He to pay to Sarah Simmons, daughter of his brother Ichabod, when she come of age . . . To son Joseph Simmons . . . he to pay to Simon Simmons, son of his brother Ichabod when he comes of age . . . To son John he to pay to Baley Simmons, son of his brother Ichabod when he comes of age . . . . To son Benjamin Simmons . . . he to pay to Abigail Simmons, daughter of his brother Ichabod, when she arrives at the age of 18 To son Peleg . . . To daughters, Mercy Bennett, Lydia Tillinghast, Abigail Palmer, Rebecca Bagger, and Mary Simmons, each 5s. as they had already received their part." The will was witnessed by Nathaniel Searle, John Searle, and Comfort Searle.

Children, born in Little Compton and recorded on town records:

- 153 <sup>4</sup> Mercy Simmons, born July 1, 1697.
- 154 William Simmons, born Sept. 30, 1699.
- 155 Lydia Simmons, born Dec. 15, 1700.
- 156 Joseph Simmons, born March 4, 1702.
- 157 John Simmons, born Aug. 14, 1704.
- 158 Abigail Simmons, born July 14, 1706.
- 159 Rebecca Simmons, born May 8, 1708.
- 160 Mary Simmons, born Oct. 15, 1709.
- 161 Benjamin Simmons, Feb. 2, 1713.
- 162 Ichabod Simmons, Jan. 6, 1715.
- 163 Peleg Simmons, Dec. 1, 1716.
- 164 Sarah Simmons, Aug. 26, 1718.

In the cemetery a stone, with the following inscription: "Here lyeth the Body of Sarah, ye daughter of William & Abigail Simmons & her two brothers, the one on the right, and the other on the left."

Abigail Simmons, the mother, was admitted to the church in 1730. In 1712 she was one of those who "have laid hold of the Covenant, and submitted themselves to the discipline of Christ in this Church." Also, "Mr. Wm. Simmons July 31st. 1720."

March 2, 1712, Abigail Simmons, Sen., was baptized. Oct. 2, 1715, Mercy, John, and Joseph Simmons, children of Mr. Wm. Simmons, were also baptized, and Aug. 11, 1715, Peleg Simmons was baptized. July 31, 1720, Wm. Simmons, Sen., was baptized.

The Wm. Simmons homestead is almost directly north of the "Commons" at Little Compton, a short distance.

28. Isaac <sup>3</sup> Simmons (<sup>2</sup> Mercy Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury Jan. 28, 1674. I can find no will or settlement of estate. Winsor says he had a son Isaac, born 1701, married Lydia Cushing in 1722, and if so from the will of Isaac Simmons, Jun., we find he had a sister Priscilla. I am puzzled where to place the Isaac Simmons who married perhaps a daughter of Elizabeth (Alden) Chandler. In her

will, 1732, she gives to Deborah Simmons Isaac Simmons, Jun., and Sarah Simmons, children of Isaac Simmons. I fail to find in my notes any mention of the mother of these children being a daughter or sister of Elizabeth (Alden) Chandler. Capt.<sup>2</sup> Jonathan Alden (<sup>1</sup>John) had three daughters, and we find but two, and the wife of this Isaac Simmons may be the third. In this case I should place her as wife of our Isaac, and the family would be as follows:

Isaac and (Alden) Simmons had:

- 165 Deborah Simmons.
- 166 'Isaac Simmons, born 1701.
- 167 Sarah Simmons.

By second wife, at least:

- 168 Aaron Simmons.\*
- 169 Priscilla Simmons, born 1710.

Perhaps more. I hope any one who knows to the contrary of this family will correct me.

- 29. <sup>3</sup> Martha Simmons (<sup>2</sup> Mercy Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, November, 1677; married first in 1699, Dec. 29, in Duxbury, Ebenezer Delano, son of <sup>2</sup> Philip Delano (Philip). He was born about 1675, and died before 1709. She married second, in Duxbury, June 20, 1709, Samuel West. He was son of Samuel and Tryphosa (Partridge) West. By her first husband, born in Duxbury:
  - 170 Joshua Delano, born Oct. 30, 1700.
  - 171 Thankful Delano, born June 8, 1702.
  - 172 Abia Delano, born Aug. 7, 1704.

## By second husband:

- 173 Amos West, born May 29, 1710.
- 174 Nathan West, born Aug. 18, 1711.
- 175 Sarah West, born Nov. 8, 1712.
- 176 Moses West, born March 4, 1715.

<sup>\*</sup> Davis's "Landmarks of Plymouth."

This family went to Pembroke, and Martha probably died there.

30. <sup>3</sup> Benjamin Simmons (<sup>2</sup> Mercy Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, probably about 1678, married, Jan. 3, 1706, in Duxbury, Lorah Sampson, wrongly given Sarah, daughter of Caleb Sampson (Henry) and Mercy (Standish) Sampson, who was daughter of Alexander and Sarah (Alden) Standish. She died before 1715. He married second, July 7, 1715, Priscilla Delano, daughter of Samuel Delano and Elizabeth (Standish) Delano, who was daughter of Alexander and Sarah (Alden) Standish. Priscilla "died in ye night," Feb. 7, 1746. Benjamen Simmons's estate was divided in 1749, and the children were mentioned as follows: Zackariah, Benjamen, Mercy, Content, Hannah, Betty, Priscilla, Abiah, Aaron.

Children, probably born in Duxbury:

- 177 <sup>4</sup> Zachariah Simmons.
- 178 Abraham Simmons, prob. d. young.
- 179 Benjamen Simmons.
- 180 Mercy Simmons.
- 181 Content Simmons.
- 182 Hannah Simmons.
- 183 Betty Simmons.
- 184 Priscilla Simmons.
- 185 Abiah Simmons.
- 186 Aaron Simmons.
- 31. <sup>3</sup>Joseph Simmons (Mercy Pabodie, Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1683; married, Feb. 8, 1709, Mary Weston, daughter of Elnathan Weston and Desire Standish. Desire was daughter of Alexander Standish and Desire (Dotey, Sherman, Holmes) Standish. No mention of Mary was made in Joseph Simmons's will, so probably she was dead. He died May 20, 1768, ac. 78. His will was dated 14 March, 1754. Nathaniel, his son, was made executor. He speaks

of sons Nathaniel, Jedidiah, and daughter Rebeckah, wife of Reuben Peterson, and grandson Joseph Simmons.

- 187 Nathaniel Simmons.
- 188 Jedidiah Simmons.
- 189 Rebeckah Simmons.
- 32. <sup>3</sup>Rebeckah Simmons (<sup>2</sup>Mercy Pabodie, <sup>1</sup>Eliz. Alden). For her family see Constant Southworth (Mary Pabodie, Eliz. Alden), as she married her cousin, Constant Southworth, Feb. 10, 1715. I add one child (143<sup>a</sup>), Mary Southworth, born about 1724.
- 33. <sup>3</sup> Joshua Simmons (<sup>2</sup> Mercy Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1688; married Sarah Delano, April 4, 1728 (?), and he died Jan'y 15, 1774, æ. 85<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>. I have no knowledge of any children.
- 34. <sup>3</sup> Moses Simmons (<sup>2</sup> Mercy Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1691; died June 21, 1761, æ. 70<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> years. Married in Duxbury, March 26, 1718, Rachel Sampson, daughter of Caleb and Mercy (Standish) Sampson, and grand-daughter of Alexander and Sarah (Alden) Standish. She was born Dec. 5, ——. She survived her husband.

Children, born in Duxbury:

- 190 'Ichabod Simmons.
- 191 William Simmons.
- 192 Mercy Simmons.
- 193 Lydia Simmons.
- 194 Deborah Simmons.
- 195 Anna Simmons.

Winsor says, had Lemuel bapt. 1743, and Abigail 1745; but I have my doubts whether they belong here. I shall not number them till I have further proof, for if they were children of Moses and Rachel (Sampson) Simmons, they undoubtedly died young, before the father. I think Lemuel

was son of Ichabod, mentioned above. Moses Simmons made his will in 1761. Speaks of wife Rachel and son Wm., executors. Children: Ichabod, Wm., and Mercy Simmons, wife of Nathaniel Simmons, Lydia, wife of Judah Delano, Deborah, wife of Jacob Weston, and Anna Simmons. Book 16, pages 208–209, Plymouth Probate Records.

<sup>3</sup> Joseph Seabury (<sup>2</sup> Martha Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, June 8, 1678. Died August 22, 1755. Buried in Little Compton cemetery. Gr. stone: "In memory of Lieut Joseph Seabury, who died Aug ye 22, 1755 in ye 78th year of his age." He married, 1st, Phebe (Fobes) Smith, daughter of Lieut. Wm. Fobes and Elizabeth (Southworth) Fobes. She was born 1679, and died April 1, 1715. Lieut. Fobes was stepfather to Joseph Seabury, having married his mother. [I wish to correct an error in the preceding Seabury family. Samuel Seabury, father of Joseph, died in 1681, instead of 1689. Gravestone of Phebe (Fobes) Seabury, in old cemetery, Little Compton: "Here lyeth the body of Phebe, the wife of Joseph Seabury who deceast in ye 36. year of her age April ye 21. 1715." I think a certain John Smith, who appears on the early town records, was her husband. Joseph Seabury married, 2d, Mary Ladd, daughter of Wm. and Elizabeth (Tompkins) Ladd. She was born in Little Compton, March 5, 1699; died in Tiverton, R.I., Feb. 26, 1733-4. Joseph Seabury was admitted to Little Compton church, March 2, 1712. Dismissed to Tiverton church, Aug. 18, 1746.

By first wife, born in Little Compton:

- 196 'Samuel Seabury, born June 5, 1702.
- 197 Martha Seabury, born Feby. 7, 1704.
- 198 Joseph Seabury, born Dec. 2, 1705.
- 199 Benjamin Seabury, born Jan. 20, 1708.
- 200 Sion Seabury, born March 27, 1713.
- 201 Mary Seabury, born April 17, 1715.

By second wife, born in Tiverton:

- 202 Phebe Seabury, born March 2, 1723.
- 203 Hannah Seabury, born Feb. 7, 1724-5.
- 204 Gideon Seabury, born May 16, 1726.
- 205 John Seabury, born Nov. 26, 1727.
- 206 Bettey Seabury, born Feb. 2, 1729-30.
- 207 Sarah Seabury, born Dec. 4, 1732.
- 208 Ichabod Seabury, born Jan. 18, 1733-4; .
- 36. <sup>3</sup> Martha Seabury (<sup>2</sup> Martha Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, Sept. 23, 1679; died probably in Tiverton; married 1705, Josiah Sawyer, and lived in Tiverton. Her husband died in 1733. His will, dated 15 Sept., 1733. Book 8, page 30, Taunton Probate Records. Speaks of being sick and weak in body; of dearly beloved wife; daus. Hannah Williston, Mercy, Mary, Abigail, and Priscilla; sons, John and Josiah. After Josiah comes of age, etc. Witnessed by Samuel Crandall, Isaac Case, Joseph Tompkins. Signed Josiah Sawyer, of Tiverton.

Children on Tiverton Records:

- 209 John Sawyer, born Feb. 20, 1707; dismissed to Tiverton church, Aug. 18, 1746.
- 210 Hannah Sawyer, born Nov. 27, 1710.
- 211 Mercy Sawyer, born Jan. 28, 1711.
- 212 Mary Sawyer, born Aug. 28, 1714; baptized Little Compton church, July 24, 1715.
- 213 Abigail Sawyer, born Oct. 4, 1716; baptized June 1, 1720.
- 214 Priscella Sawyer, admitted to the church, Feb. 23, 1733-4; baptized, 1719.
- 216 Josiah Sawyer, born May, 1725; baptized July 11, 1725; admitted to the church, Aug. 6, 1738.
- Aug. 18, 1746, at the formation of the church, at Tiverton, John Sawyer, the widow Martha Sawyer, and Priscilla Sawyer.
  - 37. A posthumous child. I know nothing more.

38. <sup>3</sup>Elizabeth Fobes (<sup>2</sup>Martha Pabodie, <sup>1</sup>Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, probably about 1683; married in Little Compton, R.I., June 10, 1708, Wm. Briggs (I think), son of John and Hannah (Fisher) Briggs. He died Nov. 23, 1751.

Wm. Briggs' will was admitted to Probate, Dec. 17, 1751, dated 2 Nov., 1750. Mary Briggs, his daughter, executrix. "I William Briggs &c. To my well beloved daughter Mary: To my well beloved son W<sup>m</sup> all my homestead &c. To Mary that part of my farm lying in Tiverton. To son Lovet Briggs a farm in Tiverton. To son Lovet Briggs land in Tiverton 20 acres. To daughter Judith Wilcox. To daughter Elizabeth Shippee.\* To daughter Catherine. To dau Sarah Shaw. To dau Phebe Almy. To son W<sup>m</sup> Briggs. To son Fobes Briggs the sum of five shillings to be paid two years after my decease. To wife Elizabeth Briggs. Witnessed Peter Horsewell, Constant Woodman, Restcome Sanford."

Later, Fobes Briggs of Newport, mariner, prays for an appeal from the Probate of Wm. Briggs' will.

Children, from Little Compton Records:

- 215 4 Judith Briggs, born May 27, 1710.
- 216 Lovet Briggs, born Feb. 1, 1712; d. Feb. 3, 1713.
- 217 Elizabeth Briggs, born Dec. 17, 1713.
- 218 Wm. Briggs, born April 11, 1715.
- 219 Catherine Briggs, born March 17, 1717.
- 220 Sarah Briggs, born 1719.
- 221 Phebe Briggs, born 1721.
- 222 Mary Briggs, born 1723.
- 223 Fobes Briggs, born 1727.
- 224 Lovet Briggs, 2d, born 1728.
- 39. <sup>3</sup> Constant Fobes (<sup>2</sup> Martha Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Elizabeth Alden), born in Little Compton, 1686; died June 26, 1771, in Marshfield, Mass.; married in Little Compton by Rev. Richard Billings, justice, April 8, 1708, John Little, son of Ephraim and Mary (Sturtevant) Little. He was born March

<sup>\*</sup> It may be the word was Skiffe. I could not be sure.

18, 1682-3, in Marshfield, and died there Feb. 26, 1767, "a man of weight in the community and much respected, and possessed of large wealth."

Children all born in Marshfield:

- 227. Anna 4 Little, born Dec. 29, 1708, dy.
- 228. Ruth Little, born July 10, 1710, dy.
- 229. Mercy Little, born Nov. 2, 1711, probably died young, unmarried, as she is not mentioned in her father's will.
- 230. Fobes Little, born March 9, 1712-3.
- 231. John Little, born June 30, 1714.
- 232. Anna Little, born Jan. 30, 1715-6.
- 233. Thomas Little, born March 23, 1716-7, d. y.
- 234. Ephraim Little, born April 15, 1718.
- 235. Thomas Little, born June 16, 1719.
- 236. William Little, born Aug. 31, 1720.
- 237. Ruth Little, born abt. 1723.
- 238. Lemuel Little, born Dec. 8, 1724.

John Little's will is dated 15 Jan., 1764. Proved 9 March, 1767. "I, John Little of Marshfield—to loving wife Constant—to Fobes Little, land in Little Compton—to John Little, farm in Windham, Conn—to W<sup>m</sup> Little, farm partly in Lebanon, and partly in Norwich—to dau. Anna White land in Marshfield—to Ruth Oakman land etc., and the 'yoke of oxen Tobias Oakman has of me'—to son Ephraim land in Marshfield—to son Lemuel homestead in Marshfield—to granddaughter Alice Little." Three sons, Ephraim, Thomas, and Lemuel, executors. Inventory shows estate of £4,345.

40. Mary <sup>3</sup> Fobes (Martha <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, 1689. Died there July 29, 1712. Married in Little Compton, March 17, 1708, by Benjamin Church, Justice, Edward <sup>3</sup> Southworth, son of W<sup>m</sup> and Rebeccah <sup>2</sup> (Pabodie) Southworth. He was born Nov. 23, 1684, and died ? She was his first wife. He married 2<sup>d</sup> Elizabeth Palmer, by the Rev. Richard Billings, Justice, on

Oct. 11, 1716. She was daughter of John and Elizabeth (Richmond) Palmer, and was born Nov. 17, 1691. In Little Compton cemetery I found this epitaph, "Here lyeth the body of Mary, ye wife of Edward Southworth, aged 23, deceased July 22 or 29, 1712."

Children all born in Little Compton.

By first wife:

- 239. Rebecca 4 Southworth, born Dec. 22, 1708.
- 240. Fobes Southworth, born Sept. 1, 1710.

### By second wife:

- 241. Thomas 4 Southworth, born June 7, 1718.
- 242. Alice Southworth, born Nov. 24, 1720.
- 243. Edward Southworth, born Feb. 27, 1724.
- 244. Elizabeth Southworth, born Dec. 29, 1725.
- 245. Esther Southworth, born Sept. 25, 1727.
- 246. Beriah Southworth, born May 28, 1729.
- 247. Mary Southworth, July 15, 1732.
- 248. William Southworth, born
- 42. Mercy <sup>3</sup> Wiswall (Priscilla Pabodie, <sup>2</sup> Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Duxbury, Oct. 4, 1680. Married Jan. 25, 1704, Deacon John Wadsworth, son of Deacon John and Abigail (Andrews) Wadsworth. From Winsor's Duxbury: "She died upon ye 12 day of November, Anno Domine, 1716, about ten or eleven of ye clock in ye forenoon, being æt thirty & six years, and one month and eight days." He married 2<sup>d</sup>, at Boston, widow Mary Verdie, of Boston, April 4, 1718, and she died (gravestone) July 20, 1742, æ. 52, but (according to records) "June 22<sup>nd</sup> about an hour before the sun rising." "He deceased May ye 3<sup>rd</sup>, Anno Domine, 1750. Between Ten & Eleven o'clock at night, Being seventy eight years, and one month, & Twenty one days old."

He had children — all born in Duxbury.

By first wife:

- 249. John Wadsworth, born May 24. 1704.
- 250. Uriah Wadsworth, born July 5, 1708, died at "two o'clock in ye morning, April 29, 1784."

- 251. Dorothy Wadsworth, born June 25, 1710.
- 252. Ichabod Wadsworth, born May 3, 1711.
- 253. Peleg Wadsworth, born Aug. 29, 1715.

Deacon John and Mercy (Wiswall) Wadsworth are ancestors of the poet Longfellow, through their son Peleg.

By second wife:

Mary Wadsworth, born July 19, 1721.

43 Hannah<sup>3</sup> Wiswall (Priscilla<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz. Alden<sup>1</sup>). Born in Duxbury, Feb. 22, 1681–82; married Rev. John Robinson, son of James and Mary (Alcock) Robinson — her father's successor. He was born in Dorchester, Mass., April 17, 1675. Harvard College 1695, settled as pastor 1702 (see Winsor's Duxbury, pages 184–191). He died in Lebanon, Conn., Nov. 14, 1745. She and her eldest daughter Mary died Sept. 22, 1722, in a storm off Nantasket Beach. A full account of their death is given in Winsor's History of Duxbury.

## Children born in Duxbury:

- 254. Mary Robinson, born Feb. 23, 1706, drowned off Nantasket Beach, Sept. 22, 1722.
- 255. Hannah Robinson, born November 2, 1708.
- 256. Alethea Robinson, born May 26, 1710.
- 257. Elizabeth Robinson, born Sept. 28, 1712.
- 258. John Robinson, born April 16, 1715.
- 259. Ichabod Robinson, born
- 260. Faith Robinson, born 1718.
- 44 Peleg <sup>3</sup> Wiswall (Priscilla <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Duxbury, Feb. 5, 1683–4; married Elizabeth Rogers, daughter of Dr. Samuel Rogers. Published in Ipswich, Nov. 21, 1719. She died Dec. 1, 1743, æ. 47. Harvard College, Headmaster of the North Free Grammar School from 1719 till his death. The following is the inscription upon his tombstone in Copp's Hill Burying Ground, Boston: "Here lyes buried the Body of Mr Peleg

Wiswall, late Master of the North Grammar School, died Sept 3d, 1767 in the 84th year of his Age" — Winsor's Duxbury.

### Children born in Boston:

- 261. Elizabeth Wiswall, born 4 Nov., 1728.
- 262. Daniel Wiswall, born Feb. 13, 1722.
- 263. Priscilla Wiswall, born Dec. 17, 1725.
- 264. Sarah Wiswall, bapt. in Old South Church, Boston, May 4, 1729.
- 265. John Wiswall, born April 15, 1731.

46 Deborah Wiswall (Priscella Pabodie, Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1695. Died April 22, 1776, a. 81. Married, Oct. 21, 1717, Deacon Samuel Seabury, son of Deacon Samuel Seabury and Mis Abigail (Allen) Seabury. He was born in Duxbury Oct. 24, 1692, and died there, Sept 25, 1762. This Samuel Seabury remained with his family in Duxbury. He and his wife died and were buried in that town, and their gravestones may now be seen in the old burying ground. This was the best family of Seaburys that lived in the town."

Children all born in Duxbury.

- 266. Sarah Seabury, born July 21, 1718.
- 267. Hannah Seabury, "June 26, 1720.
- 268 Hopestill Seabury, " May 31, 1722.
- 269. Faith Seabury, "Oct. 12, 1724.
- 270 Paul Seabury, " Nov. 26, 1728.
- 271. Wiswall Seabury, " April 6, 1738; died Sept. 20, 1768.
- 272. Deborah Seabury, born April 13, 1727.
- 273. Mercy Seabury, "Nov. 10, 1735.

47. Priscella <sup>3</sup> Wiswall (Priscilla <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Duxbury, Dec. 21, 1691. (I question this. Was she born same day as her husband?) Married in Duxbury Oct. 23, 1716, and died in Bristol. She married Gershom <sup>4</sup> Bradford (her cousin once removed), son of

Samuel and Hannah<sup>3</sup> (Rogers) Bradford. He was born in Duxbury, Dec. 21, 1691. Went first to Kingston to live, and then to Bristol in 1744.

#### Children:

- 274 Alexander 4 Bradford.
- Daniel Bradford; so in Bradford Genealogy, but called David in Davis' Landmarks of Plymouth; born 1720.
- 276. Noah Bradford.
- 277. Job Bradford.
- 278 Jeremiah Bradford.
- 279 Priscilla Bradford.
- 280. Hopestilla Bradford.
- 281. Rachel Bradford.
- 282. Solomon Bradford.
- 50. Lydia <sup>3</sup> Coe (Sarah <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born 1688, probably in Little Compton; married, Jan'y 4, 1710, in Little Compton, John Baily. I think he was son of John and Sutton Baily, of Newport, born before 1690. He received land in Newport in 1733, from his father's estate. It is possible that John may have been the son of Edward and Frances Bailey,\* of Newport and Tiverton; but I think not. John Bailey, Senr., speaks of Benjamin, son of John, to receive £50 when of age.

# Children on Little Compton Records:

- 274 Joseph 4 Bailey, born Oct. 29, 1710; d. Jan. 1711.
- 275 John Bailey, born April 13, 1712.
- 276 Joseph Bailey, 2d, born Sept. 22, 1714.
- 277 Gideon Bailey, born , 1716.
- 278. Benjamen Bailey, born 1718.
- 51 Sarah <sup>3</sup> Coe (Sarah <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born probably in Little Compton, 1690. She died Jan. 2, 1741; married in Little Compton, "Samuel Tompkins and Sarah Coe; married by Benjamin Church, Justice, Jan. 24, '1712." He was son of Samuel and Elizabeth ( ) Tompkins; born 1680 and died May, 1760.

<sup>\*</sup> See Austin's Genealogical Dictionary of Rhode Island.

### Children on Little Compton Records:

- 279. Joseph <sup>4</sup> Tompkins, born Oct. 26, 1712.
- 280. John Tompkins, born Sept. 14,
- 281. Elizabeth Tompkins, born Dec. 8, 1715.
- 282. Christopher Tompkins, born Dec. 8, 1715.
- 283. Abigail Tompkins, born Jan. 28, 1717.
- 284. Nathaniel Tompkins, born Nov. 19, 1719; died Jan. 20, 1724.
- 285. Gideon Tompkins, probably died young. L. C. Rec. say d. March, 1774, which I think alludes to another.
- 286. Micah Tompkins, born Jan. 20, 1722. Died young.
- 287. Benjamen Tompkins, born Jan. 26, 1723.
- 288. Augustine Tompkins, born March 19, 1725; died Feb. 16, 1749.
- Priscilla Tompkins, born June 6, 1726; d. Aug. 18, 1739.
- 290. Wm. Tompkins, born Oct. 17, 1730; died Nov. 1768.

Will dated 24 July, 1758. To son Joseph; son Chistopher: all real estate in Little Compton; To son Benj., £5—ten years after decease; to son Wm. £50 in 2 years; to two daus. Eliz. and Abigail, £30 in two years, also privilege of living in the house, apples, etc., etc., and all household goods to be divided between them. To four grandchildren, children of son of John deceased when they come of age. Witnessed, Wm. Simmons, Benjamen Seabury, Nathl. Searles. Recorded, June 9, 1760. Estate, £1837-10-0.

52. Samuel <sup>3</sup> Coe (Sarah <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton (T. Rec., Dec. 12, 1692). Gravestone in Little Compton says: "Died Dec. 25 in 1740, in 50 year of his age." Married by Benjamin Church, Justice, April 8, 1716, Mary Chadwick. Otis Wilborn, of Little Compton, copied the old births, deaths, and marriages, and added his *impressions* to the records. He makes this Samuel Coe marry twice. His son, Samuel Coe, died young, and the wife of the second Samuel is given to the father. The proof of my statements can be found at the Probate Records of

Taunton. His will, Book 10, pages 24-58-108-109. Guardianship of children, Elizabeth, pages 105-125; Matthew, page 101; Priscilla, page 29; Sarah, pages 24-58-108-109. In his will he speaks of wife Mary. In 1741 she is given the guardianship of John and Elizabeth, under 14.

Children on Little Compton Records:

- 291 Isaac <sup>4</sup> Coe, born in Little Compton, March 27, 1717; supposed to be buried in Newport, R.I.; died July 25, 1739, æ. 23 years.
- 292. Samuel Coe, born Jan. 1, 1720.
- 293. Priscilla Coe, born May 6, 1723.
- 294. Sarah Coe, born June 29, 1725.
- 295. Matthew Coe, born , 1727.
- 296. John Coe, born Nov. 23, 1728; d. Dec. 16, 1728.
- 297. John Coe, ) In 1727-8, Isaac, Samuel, Matthew,
- 298. Elizabeth Coe, Priscilla & Sarah, children of Samuel and Mary Coe, bapt. in L. C. church.
- 53. Elizabeth <sup>3</sup> Coe (Sarah <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz. <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, March 28, 1694; married in Little Compton, July 27, 1720, Edward Burgess, son of Thomas and Esther (Richmond) Burgess, born 1692, either in Little Compton or Newport. Burgess Genealogy says they lived in Newport. This may be so, after the birth of their children, but their children are on Little Compton Records, and they and their children were baptized in L. C. church in 1727 and 1728—"Edward Burgess and Elizabeth his wife, and Thomas and Esther their children."
  - 299. Benjamin Burgess, born Sept. 27, 1721; died Feb. 5, 1722.
  - 300. Thomas Burgess, born Sept. 6, 1723.
  - 301. Esther Burgess, born July 27, 1725.
  - 302. Benjamen Burgess, born July 13, 1728.
  - 303. Sarah Burgess, born Oct. 24, 1730.
  - 304. Lydia Burgess, born Feb. 15, 1734.
  - 54. Hannah 3 Coe (Sarah 2 Pabodie, Eliz. Alden).

Born in Little Compton, R.I., Dec. 29, 1696; died and was buried in Little Compton old graveyard in her father's lot. "In memory of Hannah Coe, died Oct. ye 7, 1757, in ye 62 year of her age." She married her cousin, a Coe of Casco Bay, one of three sons of an uncle who settled there. This marriage and the name of her husband cannot be found, because of the destruction of the records. He went to sea and was lost, and she returned to her father's house with her only child, Ruth. She was admitted to the church on her return to Little Compton, Oct. 1, 1730, and her dau. Ruth was baptized 1727–8 (*Church Records*), at the same time that her cousins the Burgesses, and Coes were.

Child:

305. Ruth Coe, baptized 1727. "Hannah Coe. Ruth, ye daughter of Hannah Coe."

55. John <sup>3</sup> Coe (Sarah <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz. <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, Feb. 1, 1699; died Nov. —, 1784. Married by Richard Billings, Justice, Int. June 21; married July 10, 1741, Rebecca Taylor who was born Jan. 4, 1719.

At the time of his father's death he was in Casco Bay. After a time he returned and was a shoemaker, going from house to house, as was customary in those days, taking the measures of the members of the household. Visiting Mr. Taylor's, he saw Rebecca, a mere child, and made her her first pair of shoes. He said, "I will wait for her," and he married her when she was 21."

Children on Little Compton Records:

- 306. Lydia ' Coe, born March 28, 1742.
- 307. Isaac Coe, born April 23, 1744; died early, unknown.
- 308. Samuel Coe, March 20, 1746.
- 309. Wm. Coe, born Feb. 20, 1748.
- 310. John Coe, born Oct. 27, 1750.
- 311. Benjamen Coe, born May 3, 1753.
- 312. Sarah Coe, born , 1756.
- 313. Hannah Coe, born July 9, 1759. Gravestone says, "Miss Hannah Coe, daughter of John and Sarah

Coe, died Dec. 3, 1850, aged 91." A niece, Mrs. Deacia Wood, who remembered her perfectly, says the name Sarah was a mistake of the stonecutter.

- 56. Joseph <sup>3</sup> Coe (Sarah <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz. <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, March 24, 1700, died April , 1770. Page 431, 2d Book, Little Compton Records (Probate), has his will: Joseph Coe gives to nephew Benjamin Coe all his property. He lived with his brother John and later with his nephew Benjamin. He was an astronomer and made almanacs. Was well educated. He never married.
- 59. William <sup>3</sup> Bartlett (Ruth <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born about 1674; died before his father, leaving a daughter, Mercy. This Mercy, I am sure, is the one who married John Turner, and not her aunt, who must have died young, as she is not mentioned in her father's will. Mercy <sup>4</sup> Bartlett being the "child of the oldest son" (family tradition), she was not far distant in age from her younger aunts. I surmise William married Hannah, and died soon after the birth of his daughter Mercy, and that in 1698, "the widow, Hannah Bartlett of Duxbury," married Thomas Delano (Philip), by whom she had no children.

Child:

321. Mercy 4 Bartlett.

Mercy <sup>3</sup> Bartlett (Ruth <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Died young. See No. 59.

60. Sarah Bartlett (Ruth Pabodie, Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury. Died . Married, 1701, in Duxbury, Israel Bradford, son of Major and Deputy-Governor William Bradford (William ) and Mary (Atwood) Holmes (wid. of Rev. John). He died March 26, 1760.

Children born in Duxbury:

322. Ruth 4 Bradford, born Dec. 11, 1702; died young.

- 323. Bathsheba Bradford, born Nov. 8, 1703.
- 324. Benjamin Bradford, born Oct. 17, 1705.
- 325. Abner Bradford, born Dec. 25, 1707.
- 326. Joshua Bradford, born June 23, 1710.
- 327. Ichabod Bradford, born Sept. 22, 1713.
- 328. Elisha Bradford, born March 26, 1718.
- 61. Rebecca <sup>3</sup> Bartlett (Ruth <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz. <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Duxbury. Married, 1701, John Bradford, son of John <sup>3</sup> (Wm., <sup>2</sup> Wm. <sup>1</sup>) and Mercy (Warren) Bradford. He was born Dec. 25, 1681, and died March 27, 1729.

#### Children:

- 329. Robert <sup>4</sup> Bradford, born Oct. 18, 1706.
- 330. Rebecca Bradford, born Dec. 14, 1710.
- 62. Ruth <sup>3</sup> Bartlett (Ruth <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz. <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Duxbury. She survived her husband. She married John Murdock, son of John and Lydia (Young) Murdock. He was born 1687, and died about 1756. In his will he speaks of himself as "I, John Murdock, of Plymouth, being in a weak and languishing condition."

He gives to grandson Tillson, the son of Stephen Tillson, the whole of the farm, dwelling-house, etc., situated in Plympton. To son-in-law, John Wall, £40, and also £13.6.0 due from him. All the rest to loving wife Ruth, during her natural life, and at her death to be divided between two sons, James and Bartlett, who are also made executors. His will is dated Sept. 16, 1756, and witnessed by William Thomas, Joseph Head? and John Lothrop.

Children, probably born in Plymouth:

- 331. Jeannette 4 Murdock.
- 332. Ruth Murdock.
- 333. James Murdock.
- 334. Bartlett Murdock.
- 63. Priscilla Bartlett (Ruth Pabodie, Eliz. Alden). Born January, 1697. She died July 2, 1758, æ. nearly 61.

She married in Duxbury, Dec. 31, 1718, John Sampson. He was son of Stephen<sup>2</sup> Sampson (Henry<sup>1</sup> of the "Mayflower") and Elizabeth. He was born in Duxbury, Aug. 17, 1688, and died about 1770. His estate was administered on March 5, 1770. They\_lived in Duxbury.

Children, probably born there:

- 335. Susanna 4 Sampson, born Aug. 30, 1720.
- 336. Zilpah Sampson, born Feb. 27, 1722; died July, 1796; unmarried.
- 337. John Sampson, \(\rangle\) born May 21, 1723; died Sept. 11,
- 338. Priscilla Sampson, 1724.
- 339. Elizabeth Sampson, born Feb., 1726.
- 340. John Sampson, born Aug. 8, 1727.
- 341. Elisha Sampson, born April 6, 1730; died in New York in 1776. (Was he married?)
- 342. Sylvanus Sampson, born March 13, 1732; died in the East Indies, 1758.
- 343. Elijah Sampson, born June 7, 1734.

64. Deborah Bartlett (Ruth Pabodie, Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury; married, Dec. 19, 1723, Josiah Thomas, of Duxbury. He was probably son of Samuel Thomas (John), of Marshfield, and Mercy (Ford) Thomas, daughter of William. He died about 1750, when his will was probated. The will was dated 25 Sept., 1746. In it he speaks of wife Deborah, second son Joshua, five sons and two daughters; viz., William, Joshua, Peleg, Benjamin, Consider, Deborah Thomas, and Ruth Thomas.

Children, probably all born in Duxbury:

- 344. William 4 Thomas, born Nov. 1, 1724.
- 345. Joshua Thomas, born Sept. 9, 1726.
- 346. Peleg Thomas, born Nov. 25, 1728.
- 347. Adam Thomas, born March 31, 1731.
- 448. Deborah Thomas, born Aug. 2, 1734.
- 349. Ruth Thomas, born June 13, 1736.
- 350. Benjamin Thomas, born Nov. 21, 1737.
- 351. Consider Thomas, born , 1739.

65. \*Abigail<sup>3</sup> Bartlett (Ruth<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1703; died Aug. 30, 1776; married Aug. 30, 1728, Hon. Gamaliel Bradford, son of Samuel and Hannah (Rogers) Bradford, her cousin once removed. He was born in Duxbury, May 18, 1704, and died April 24, 1778, æt. nearly 74 years.

"Hon. Gamaliel Bradford was a son of Lieut. Samuel Bradford, and great-grandson of Hon. William, the second Governor of Plymouth Colony. He shared largely in all the duties of the public offices of the town, and was always selected to bear the responsibilities of its important agencies. He was a friend of education, and did much towards the maintenance and improvement of the public schools. for several years represented the town in the Legislature, and during the trying period from 1764 to 1770 was a member of the Executive Council. He was for many years a justice of the peace, and judge of the County Court. He also held command of the company of militia in his native town, and about 1750 was raised to the rank of Major, and afterwards promoted to the command of the regiment with the rank of Colonel. In his declining days he witnessed with patriotic ardor the uprising of the Sons of Freedom; and though his heart was with them, he was unable by active exertion to assist in the crowning glories of true-born freemen. He died in Duxbury on the 24th April, 1778, having nearly reached his seventy-fourth year. - Windsor's History of Duxbury, pp. 148, 9.

66. Benjamen <sup>3</sup> Southworth (Rebecca <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born April 18, 1681, I think in Bristol. The Southworth family did not come directly from Duxbury, but tarried awhile in Bristol. The children are entered on Little Compton Records, also on Bristol Records. I think nearly all of Rebecca Pabodie's children were born in Bristol. There is no record of either William or Rebecca joining the

<sup>\*</sup> Her family will be given under Hon. Gamaliel Bradford in fourth generation.

Little Compton Church, or the baptism of their children. until we come to Andrew and Gideon, the children of the second wife. Therefore, Bristol is given as the birthplace. I do not know whether Benjamen or his third wife died in Little Compton. Many stones are broken off in Old Cemetery. He was in Little Compton till after 1730. I feel sure his children moved away, probably to Connecticut, and are the ancestors of many Southworths we find in Mansfield, Ashford, and elsewhere. About 1730 three, at least, of his brothers went to Connecticut. He was married, first, by Joseph Church, Esq., Dec. 18, 1701, to Elizabeth Woodworth, probably daughter of Walter Woodworth. Her stone can be seen in the Old Cemetery - "Elizabeth, wife of Benjamen Southworth. Died June 18, 1713, in ye 35th year of , her age." He married, second, by Rev. Richard Billings, in Little Compton, March 14, 1717, Alice Church. She was daughter of Joseph 3 Church (Joseph, 2 Richard 1) and Grace (Shaw) Church, born in Little Compton, Feb. 8, 1693; died "Feb. 14, 1718, in the 23d year of her age" (gravestone in Old Cemetery). He married, third, Susanna (Palmer) Blackman, by the Rev. Richard Billings, July 18, 1722. feel sure she was a widow. There is no Susanna to be found in the Blackman family, and William Palmer in his will speaks of daughter Susanna Southworth. (See Richmond genealogy, by Joshua Richmond.) This genealogy says William Palmer married Mary 3 Richmond (Edward, 2 John 1), and had a family in Kingston or Westerly. We do not find the children on these towns' records, but do find them in Little Compton. William Palmer was son of William Palmer, of Dartmouth, and he son of the first William, of Plymouth and Duxbury. Susanna was born, I think, in Dartmouth, Oct. 24, 1692.

Children all born in Little Compton:

- 353. William 4 Southworth, born Oct. 10, 1703.
- 354. Oliver Southworth, born Dec. 7, 1705.
- 355. Mary Southworth, born March 5, 1713.

These by first wife. By third wife:

- 356. Benjamen Southworth, born July 29, 1725.
- 357. Patience Southworth, born June 1, 1730.
- 358. Isaac Southworth, born Oct. 31, 1731.

Joseph <sup>3</sup> Southworth (Rebecca <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Bristol, Feb. 1, 1683; died in Little Compton; buried in Old Cemetery - "In memory of Captain Joseph Southworth, who died April ye 20, 1739, in ye 57th year of his age." He married Mary Blake (the name so appears, changed from Blague), by the Rev. Richard Billings, April 20, 1710. She was the daughter of Joseph and Martha (Kirkland) Blague, born 27 Aug., 1692, in Saybrook, where her parents lived for a while. Mary (Blake) Southworth is buried in the Old Cemetery. "In memory of Mary, wife of Joseph Southworth, who died October 29, 1770, in ye 79th year of her age." And next to them is the stone "In memory of John, son of Captain Joseph Southworth and Mary his wife, died Aug. ye 12, 1720, in ye 24th year of his age." I think I read the year wrong (the stone is badly broken). I think it ought to be 1740; and this John was their youngest. Otherwise, he was not recorded with the rest of the children. Joseph Southworth lived all his life in Little Compton. In 1722 he buys land from his brother Thomas. March 9, 1727, Samuel, Stephen, and Thomas sell to their brother Joseph their share of their father's homestead. In Little Compton what is known as the "Mash" (marsh) road marks the northern boundary of the old Southworth place; from that south to the ocean is known to this day as the "Southard Marsh." Gradually it was divided up among the descendants.

The site of the old house is known; the cellar is there on the George Peckham place. Farther over, the well on the Gideon Southworth place can be discerned. Joseph Southworth's widow Mary and his son Constant were made administrators on his estate. The executors sell land in 1745.

## Children all born in Little Compton:

- 359. Elizabeth Southworth, born Feb. 13, 1712.
- 360. Constant Southworth, born April 21, 1715.
- 361. Wm. Southworth, born June 30, 1719.
- 362. Sarah Southworth, born Sept. 7, 1721.
- 363. Nathaniel Southworth, born March 27, 1724.
- 364. Joseph Southworth, born June 28, 1726.
- 365. Mary Southworth, born Dec. 30, 1728.
- 366. Samuel Southworth, born Oct. 1, 1731.
- 367. Abigail Southworth, born June 11, 1734.
- 368. John Southworth, born Jan. 1, 1737.
- 369. Susanna Southworth.

Mary Southworth, wife of Joseph, admitted to the Little Compton Church, Oct. 1, 1730.

Nathaniel Southworth, of Joseph and Mary Southworth, baptized July 2, 1724; Joseph Southworth, of Joseph and Mary Southworth, baptized Aug. 21, 1726; Mary Southworth, of Joseph and Mary Southworth, baptized April 27, 1729; Abigail Southworth, of Joseph and Mary Southworth, baptized Aug. 25, 1734; John Southworth, of Joseph and Mary Southworth, baptized July 20, 1737.

A Mary Southworth, and Susanna, her daughter, were baptized June 13, 1741.

This may be the widow and a child not recorded — perhaps born after the father died. I cannot place them elsewhere.

68. Edward<sup>3</sup> Southworth (Rebecca<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). He married his cousin, Mary<sup>3</sup> Fobes. See her number.) I wish to make a correction: his wife, Elizabeth Palmer, was daughter of *John* and *Elizabeth* (Richmond) Palmer. I am very sure that the Richmond genealogy is at fault in giving John Palmer's children as born in Kingston or Westerly; or if born there, came early to Little Compton. John Palmer and Elizabeth his wife, and children John, Sarah, Elizabeth, Edward, Job, Aaron, and Anne

were baptized Nov. 1, 1700, in company with others to the number of sixty-five, preliminary to forming the church in 1708. The Richmond genealogy says John was son of Henry; this Henry was son of the first William. I do not find Edward or his wives on the church records; neither do I find at Taunton, before 1745, any sales of land indicating that they left the town. I feel sure the children moved away.

69. Elizabeth <sup>3</sup> Southworth (Rebecca <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born Sept. 23, 1686; married in Little Compton by Joseph Church, Justice, Dec. 2, 1703, David Little, son of Ephraim and Mary (Sturtevant) Little. Ephraim was son of Thomas Little and Ann (Warren) Little. was daughter of Richard Warren, of the "Mayflower." David was born 1681, and died about 1779; Elizabeth was alive when her father died. David Little made his will Feb. 12, 1750. "I, David Little, of Scituate, yeoman, having arrived at old age." He speaks of son Ephraim, son David Little, son Nathaniel Little, daughter Elizabeth Otis, daughter Mary Cudworth, daughter Mercy Otis, son Barnabas Little, who was executor, and to have certain property, provided he does for David's wife Abigail what he (David) covenanted before marriage. (He guards the right of the wife so carefully, I feel sure she was a stepmother to the children.) Codicil, Jan. 12, 1754, names son Nathaniel, deceased, and his children to have his share. The will was witnessed by Thomas Pierce, Ezra Pitcher, and Elizabeth Pitcher, but when the will was proved in 1779 all were dead but Elizabeth Pitcher.

Mr. Seymour Morris, of Chicago, has sent me this family, copied from Scituate Records, children of David Little and Elizabeth his wife:

- 370. Ephraim Little, born April 9, 1708.
- 371. David Little, born Sept., 1712.
- 372. Nathaniel Little, born Feb. 2, 1714.

- 373. Elizabeth Little, born Jan. 17, 1719.
- 374. Mary Little, born Feb. 12, 1721.

And I feel sure we can add:

- 375. Mercy Little.
- 376. Barnabas Little.
- 70. Alice <sup>3</sup> Southworth (Rebecca <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz. Alden). Born July 14, 1688; married by Rev. Richard Billings, Justice, May 25, 1709, in Little Compton, John Cook, son of John <sup>3</sup> Cooke \* (Thomas, Thomas) and Ruth (Shaw) Cooke.

He was born in Tiverton, Nov. 5, 1685, and died 1754. "John Cooke was a man of considerable wealth and standing, and was active in public affairs, owned slaves like his father and grandfather. Was an officer in the militia of the colony."

### Children born in Tiverton:

- 377. Amy 4 Cook, born 1712.
- 378. Bathsheba Cook, born 1714.
- 379. Samuel Cook, born 1716.
- 380. William Cook, born 1718.
- 381. Abiel Cook, born 1720.
- 382. Lillias Cook, born 1722.
- 383. Rebecca Cook, born 1724.
- 384. Ruth Cook, born 1725.
- 385. Elizabeth Cook, born 1727.

Lillias and Ruth Cook owned the covenant in 1742, in Little Compton church. Lillias Cook, baptized Little Compton church, Oct. 28, 1742. Abiel Cook, baptized March 3, 1742–3. In 1746 the Tiverton church was formed and a large number of Little Compton church members were transferred. We find Lillias Cook baptized about Nov. 25, 1750, at Tiverton church.

71. Samuel<sup>3</sup> Southworth (Rebecca <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born Dec. 26, 1690; married Abigail. He sold his share

of his father's homestead to his brother Joseph in 1727. About 1719 he is of Bristol, buys land; Dec. 30, 1723, is of Lyme, Conn.; he sells this land in Bristol. On Bristol church records we find four children of Samuel and Abigail Southworth, baptized Dec. 26, 1721, and on Lyme Records we find the rest.

### Children:

- 386. Eleazur 4 Southworth.
- 387. Elizabeth Southworth.
- 388. William Southworth.
- 389. Rebecca Southworth.
- 390. Samuel Southworth, born in Lyme, May 5, 1723.
- 391. Amos Southworth, (born March 15, 1724-5; Amos
- 392. Abigail Southworth, died June 14, 1725.
- 393. Mary Southworth, born May 15, 1727.

Nathaniel<sup>3</sup> Southworth (Rebecca<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Born Oct. 31, 1692. Died in Mansfield, 1731. Married Mary Torrey, daughter of Capt. Josiah Torrey, of Medfield, and his wife, Sarah Wilson (Rev. John, Rev. John). Rev. Thomas Hooker had a daughter, Sarah Hooker, who married Rev. John Wilson, Jr., of Medfield; their oldest daughter, Sarah Wilson, married, first, Paul Batts, and had two children; married, second, Capt. Josiah Torrey, of Med-(See will of Rev. John Wilson in field and Milford. History of Medfield.) Capt. Josiah Torrey was born in Weymouth about 1645; he was son of William Torrey, who was born in Combe St. Nicholas, Somersetshire, Eng., Dec. 21, 1608. He married, first, March 17, 1629, Agnes Combe. He married, second, Jane Haviland, who was the mother of Samuel and Joseph. He married, third, the daughter of In 1640 he came to New England and Edward Frye. brought with him his third wife and Samuel, born 1632, and Joseph, 1638. He settled in Weymouth. He was deputy to the General Court, and was clerk for many years. As part payment for services rendered, the General Court gave

him and others a very large tract of land in what is now Mendon and Milford, Mass.

Children born in Weymouth: Noomi, born Dec. 3, 1641; Mary, born Dec. 3, 1642; Micajah, born Oct. 12, 1643; married Susanna. He died Jan. 20, 1710. Josiah, about 1645; Judith, born about 1647; Angel, born about 1650; married Hannah. Capt. Josiah married Sarah (Wilson) Batts. He lived in Milford as well as Medfield; removed to Bristol, 1706, then to Barrington, 1717, and was there till about 1726; thence to Mansfield, Conn., where he died Oct. 30, 1732. (I think Margaret Torrey, who married Caleb Church (Joseph, Joseph, Richard) was his daughter.) We know he had Mary, born April 17, 1689; John, April 4, 1692. Mr. Horace F. Currier sent me most of these facts in regard to the Torreys, and I think they are so valuable I insert them here. Mary (Torrey) Southworth survived her husband and married again - whom we do not know - and lived in Mansfield. Her second husband was a mill-owner.

The Southworth genealogy states that Nathaniel Southworth, who went to Mansfield, was son of Nathaniel (son of Constant), who married Desire Gray. According to Davis' "Landmarks of Plymouth," this Nathaniel married Jael Howland and lived at Middleboro. Nathaniel Southworth, of Middleboro, sells land received from his grandfather, Edward Gray, through his mother, Desire Gray. He also names brother Ichabod.

Nathaniel Southworth, No. 72, styling himself as of Little Compton, wheelwright, buys land in Bristol. Then, as of Bristol, buys land in Mansfield. In 1722 he sells to brother Joseph his share of homestead of honored father, William Southworth, of Little Compton. In 1730 was lost at sea on a voyage to the Mediterranean. At that time his son Constant was nine months old.

Thomas Southworth, of Middlesex, was not a son of No. 72. Children born in Bristol:

- 394. Nathaniel Southworth, born Feb. 13, 1714-15; baptized Oct. 2, 1715.
- 395. William Southworth, born Jan. 9, 1716-7; baptized Oct. 27, 1717.
- 396. Josiah Southworth, born Sept. 4, 1719.

Nathaniel Southworth went to Mansfield in 1720. On Mansfield records we find:

- 397. John Southworth, born Sept. 10, 1721.
- 398. Joseph Southworth, born Aug. 16, 1724.
- 399. Constant Southworth, born April 15, 1730.
- 73. Thomas <sup>3</sup> Southworth (Rebecca <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born Dec. 13, 1694; married in Little Compton, by Rev. Richard Billings, Patience Thurston, daughter of Jonathan and Sarah Thurston. She was born Feb. 16, 1702. Her father gives to granddaughter, Rebecca Southworth, in 1735, "£20 and all household stuff that belonged to her mother, Patience." I think the mother died soon after the birth of her daughter:
  - 400. Rebecca 4 Southworth.

We know the children of all the brothers of Thomas and all his cousins, yet there appear several that are not accounted for, especially in Ashford, the next town to Mansfield. I think Thomas married again, went to Connecticut, and had other children. I place them here. Thomas, it would seem, finally went to Middlesex, N.J. According to tradition a Thomas went to Middlesex, N.J., and had four sons at least: William, afterwards in Bridgewater, N.Y. Joseph also went to New York. There was a Samuel, of Mansfield, who married an Aspinwall. In the Revolutionary War there was a Thomas from Ashford, Conn. For the present, therefore, I insert as children by second wife:

- 401. Samuel 4 Southworth.
- 402. William Southworth.

- 403. Joseph Southworth.
- 404. Thomas Southworth.
- 74. Stephen<sup>3</sup> Southworth (Rebecca<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born March 3, 1696; married (intentions Dec. 25, 1725), by Rev. Richard Billings, Jan. 27, 1725–6, Lydia Warren. She was, perhaps, one of the descendants of Richard Warren who went to Dartmouth and Freetown. Stephen Southworth sold his land in Little Compton in 1727. He went to Freetown, but May 16, 1733, he sells his land in Freetown to Ephraim Elsburg, calling himself of Little Compton, and March 17, 1737–8, sells more land in Freetown to Joseph Borden. Children on Freetown records (possibly others):
  - 405. Rebecca 4 Southworth, born Oct. 7, 1726.
  - 406. Thomas Southworth, born Sept. 5, 1728.
  - 407. Stephen Southworth, born Jan. 12, 1731.
- 75. Benjamin<sup>3</sup> Bartlett (Hannah<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1684. I know nothing more, except that he was alive in 1713.
- 76. Joseph<sup>3</sup> Bartlett (Hannah<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1686; alive in 1713; married Lydia Nelson, daughter of John and Patience (Morton) Nelson. She was born 1694 and died April 6, 1739. He died Jan. 9, 1764, æt. 77.

### Children:

- 408. Isaiah 4 Bartlett, born in Duxbury, Mar. 27, 1716.
- 409. Patience Bartlett, born in Duxbury, July 27, 1718.
- 410. Hannah Bartlett, born in Duxbury, March 27, 1721; died July 11 or 12, 1739.
- 411. Lydia Bartlett, born in Duxbury, Aug. 30, 1725.
- 412. Sarah Bartlett, ) these on authority of Davis'
- 413. Elizabeth Bartlett, \ "Landmarks."
- 77. Samuel<sup>3</sup> Bartlett (Hannah<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born 1688. Winsor says an officer at Louisburg. Davis

says: married Hannah Churchill, daughter of John and Rebecca (Delano) Churchill, in 1725, and had:

- 414. Samuel 4 Bartlett.
- 415. Wm. Bartlett.
- 416. John Bartlett.
- 417. Judah Bartlett.
- 78. Hannah <sup>3</sup> Bartlett (Hannah <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz. Alden). She was alive in 1713. Winsor says perhaps married Benj. Arnold. I know nothing more.
- 79. Ichabod<sup>3</sup> Bartlett (Hannah<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). He was a minor in 1713. He married, in 1721, Susannah Spooner, daughter of Ebenezer and Mercy (Branch) Spooner. Davis, in "Ancient Landmarks," has given the wrong parentage to this Ichabod, calling him son of Ichabod, but this can be relied upon. Davis says he had two children:
  - 418. Ichabod 4 Bartlett.
  - 419. Solomon Bartlett.
- 80. Elizabeth<sup>3</sup> Bartlett (Hannah<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Alive, a minor, in 1713.
- 81. Lydia<sup>3</sup> Bartlett (Hannah<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Alive in 1713. Davis says she married Joseph Holmes.
- 82. Sarah<sup>3</sup> Bartlett (Hannah<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). A minor in 1713. Davis says she married, as his third wife, Nathan Thomas. He married, first, Alice Baker in 1713; second, Abiah Snow, 1717; and third, Sarah Bartlett, 1719. He was son of Samuel Thomas and Mercy (Ford) Thomas. I know nothing more.
- 83. Elizabeth <sup>3</sup> Pabodie (William, <sup>2</sup> Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, R.I., April 10, 1698. She married in Little Compton, by Rev. Richard Billings, May 9, 1716, Edward <sup>3</sup> Gray, son of Thomas <sup>2</sup> (Edward <sup>1</sup>) and

Anna (Little) Gray. He was born in Little Compton, Nov. 29, 1699, and died Jan., 1759, I think, in Tiverton, or near the line.

Children from church and town records of Little Compton:

- 420. Daniel 4 Gray, baptized June 1, 1718, of Edward Gray, Jr.
- 421. Mary Gray, of Edward, Jr., baptized August 9, 1719; died very soon.
- 422. Mary Gray, born Feb. 17, 1720; baptized Mary Gray, of Tiverton, Sept. 11, 1720; died Aug. 14, 1723.
- 423. Antrise Gray, born Nov. 12, 1721; baptized April 16, 1721 (must be a mistake for 1722; the church records are badly torn); died July 4, 1723.
- 424. Thomas Gray, born Sept. 6, 1722; Thomas Gray, of Edward and Elizabeth, baptized June 2, 1723.
- 425. Mary Gray, born Aug. 2, 1744, town records. I feel sure there is a mistake in the copying, and that the date is 1724, and she is the Mary baptized, of Edward and Eliza, Nov. 1, 1724.
- 426. Antrice Gray, 2d, born July 10, 1726; baptized Sept. 18, 1726.
- 427. Edward Gray, born Sept. 1, 1728; baptized Sept. 17, 1728.
- 428. Anna Gray, born March 14, 1731; baptized Sept. 26, 1731.
- 429. Eliza, wife of Edward Gray, baptized Oct. 25, 1731.
- 430. Rebecca Gray, born 1734; baptized Sept. 25, 1734, of Edward and Elizabeth.
- 431. Phebe Gray, born 1738.
- 432. Robert Gray, born 1742; church records give Robert Gray, of Edward and Elizabeth, baptized June 13, 1736.\*
- 84. John <sup>3</sup> Pabodie (William, <sup>2</sup> Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, Feb. 7, 1700. He died Jan. 2, 1767, in Little Compton (Pabodie Gen.). He married Rebecca Gray, daughter of Thomas and Anna (Little) Gray, sister to Edward Gray, who married Elizabeth Pabodie,

<sup>\*</sup> Above dates as given in town and church records.

- No. 83. She was born Aug. 1, 1704, and baptized in Little Compton church as Rebecca Pabodie, July 13, 1729. Children from town and church records:
  - 433. Elizabeth Pabodie, born Dec. 5, 1723; died Sept. 5, 1802.
  - 434. Antrace Pabodie, born July 5, 1726; died Oct. 21, 1726.
  - 435. Anna Pabodie, born Aug. 20, 1728; baptized Aug. 24, 1728; died Nov. 5, 1728.
  - 436. Judith Pabodie, born July 20, 1730.
  - 437. Priscilla Pabodie, of Dea. John and Rebecca, baptized July 26, 1730.
  - 438. Mary Pabodie, born March 21, 1732; baptized April 2, 1732; died Sept. 30, 1732.
  - 439. John Pabodie, born March 14, 1733; baptized March, 1733.
  - 440. Abigail Pabodie, born Jan 16, 1735.
  - 441. Ephraim Pabodie, of John and Rebecca, baptized Nov. 19, 1736.
  - 442. Sarah Pabodie, born Aug. 18, 1738; baptized Aug. 20, 1738.
  - 443. Mercy Pabodie, born June 30, 1740; baptized July 6, 1740; died single, aged 81.
  - 444. Comfort Pabodie, born Dec. 9, 1744; baptized Oct. 16, 1774.
  - 445. Ruth Pabodie, born June 10, 1746; baptized June 15, 1746.
- 85. William<sup>3</sup> Pabodie (William,<sup>2</sup> Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, Feb. 21, 1702; died in North Stonington, Conn., July 3, 1778. He married, in Little Compton, July 30, 1724, Jerusha Starr, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Morgan) Starr. Her mother was third wife of William<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, father of the above. She was born in New London, Feb. 8, baptized Feb. 21, 1702–3. She came with her mother to Little Compton. I do not know where and when she died, but presume in North Stonington. William Pabodie moved to North Stonington between the years 1741–1744. In 1745 he bought there a farm of 250 acres,

on which he and many of his descendants are buried, and upon which some of his descendants are still living. His will is dated May 11, 1773. Probated July 3, 1778.

Inventory of his estate amounted to £1,715.18.3. Children born in Little Compton:

- 446. Rachel <sup>4</sup> Pabodie, born June 1, 1725; baptized Sept. 9, 1725.
- 447. Thomas Pabodie, born Nov. 3, 1727; baptized March 31, 1728.
- 448. Hannah Pabodie, born Dec. 3, 1729; baptized March 8, 1729-30.
- 449. William Pabodie, born April 16, 1733; baptized June 24, 1733.
- 450. Lydia Pabodie, born Jan. 7, 1735; baptized April 11, 1736.
- 451. Samuel Pabodie, born Aug. 31, 1738; baptized July 13, 1739.
- 452. Lemuel Pabodie, born Aug. 12, 1741; baptized Nov. 1, 1741; died in North Stonington, Aug. 16, 1789.

Born in Stonington, Conn.:

- 453. James Pabodie, born Dec. 14, 1745.
- 454. Mary Pabodie, Mary died single, March 12, 1826.

I am indebted to Walter Pabodie, of Providence, and Dr. Selim Peabody, of Chicago, for much help in these families, especially after they leave Little Compton. Dr. Peabody may issue a Peabody genealogy. About this time the name began to be changed to Peabodie.

86. Rebecca<sup>3</sup> Pabodie (William, <sup>2</sup> Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, Feb. 29, 1704, and died in Fairfield, Conn., Oct. 27, 1783. She married Dec. 6, 1732 (I am not sure of this date), Rev. Joseph Fish, son of Thomas and Margaret (Woodworth) Fish, of Duxbury. He was born (Winsor) Jan. 28, 1706. Harvard College, 1728. He was called to the church in Stonington, North Parish, and ordained Dec. 27, 1732. He remained with

this charge till his death, May 22, 1781. He received urgent calls in 1750-51 to the church in Little Compton and also to the Newport church. In the account of Rev. Joseph Fish, in Sprague's "Annals of the American Pulpit," Vol. I., page 363, he is thus described:

"His manners were those of a Christian gentleman; affability and kindness were combined with the dignified suavity of a spiritual guide and teacher. He enjoyed the best advantages for education, and he appears to have profited by them, as his writing exhibited a vigorous and cultivated mind." Some children died young; these names I have not got. The account says both parents were anxious to give to their two daughters, who were their only surviving children, the best education attainable at those times.

Children probably born in North Stonington:

- 455. Mary 4 Fish.
- 456. Rebecca Fish.
- 87. Priscilla <sup>3</sup> Pabodie (William, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, March 4, 1706. Intention of marriage was published, to Gideon Southworth, son of William and Martha (Kirkland) Southworth, Jan. 13, 1727. No marriage followed. He married, 1728, Mary Wilbour. Priscilla was published to William Wilcox, of Tiverton, Sept. 22, 1733, and married Oct. 14, 1733. I think he must be the William Wilcox born in Tiverton Dec. 26, 1706, son of Edward and Sarah (Manchester) Wilcox. Where he or his wife died I do not know. I do not feel sure that the family given below comprises all the children.

Children from Little Compton church and town records:

- 456. William Wilcox, born June 24, 1734; baptized June 30, 1734. Died young.
- 457. Mary Wilcox, baptized March 15, 1735.
- 458. William Wilcox, born Jan. 24, 1735.
- 459. Deborah Wilcox, baptized Aug. 30, 1740. Priscilla Wilcox was dismissed to Tiverton church, 1746.

88. Judith <sup>3</sup> Pabodie (William, <sup>2</sup> Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, Jan. 23, 1708. I do not know where she died. She married, by Richard Billings, Justice, Benjamin Church, May 21, 1732. He was son of John <sup>3</sup> Church (Joseph, <sup>2</sup> Richard) and Rebecca his wife, and born in Little Compton, Jan. 13, 1702.

Children on Little Compton records:

- 460. Rebecca <sup>4</sup> Church, born Oct. 18, 1733.
- 461. Andrace Church, born Dec. 14, 1734.
- 462. Rhoda Church, born Dec. 14, 1738.
- 463. Ephraim Church, born Nov. 29, 1742.
- 89. Joseph<sup>3</sup> Pabodie (William,<sup>2</sup> Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, July 26, 1710; died April 7, 1790, in Canaan, N.Y., afterwards called New Lebanon, and was buried there. He was married in Little Compton, by the Rev. Richard Billings, Justice, to Elizabeth Briggs, Dec. 23, 1733. She was daughter of William Briggs and Deborah<sup>3</sup> Church (Joseph,<sup>2</sup> Richard<sup>1</sup>), born in Little Compton, Oct. 10, 1714, and died in New Lebanon, N.Y., Sept. 4, 1774. "He moved from Little Compton shortly after 1745, to Norwich, Conn., and from there, about 1773, to Canaan, N.Y.

## Children, born in Little Compton:

- 464. Nathaniel 4 Pabodie, born June 7, 1734.
- 465. Parker Pabodie, born Nov. 6, 1735.
- 466. Mary Pabodie, born June 8, 1737; died Feb. 22, 1769.
- 467. Rebecca Pabodie, born May 9, 1739; died July 7, 1765.
- 468. Isaac Pabodie, born Dec. 19, 1740.
- 469. Aaron Pabodie, born May 9, 1742.
- 470. Benjamin Pabodie, born April 9, 1744.
- 471. Elizabeth Pabodie, born Nov. 16, 1745. Born in Norwich.
- 472. Joseph Pabodie, born May 15, 1747.
- 473. Priscilla Pabodie, born Feb. 2, 1754.

90. Mary Pabodie <sup>3</sup> Pabodie (William, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, April 4, 1712; married by Rev. Richard Billings to Nathaniel Fish, brother to Rev. Joseph Fish, son of Thomas and Margaret (Woodworth) Fish, Nov. 28, 1736. He was born April 11, 1713. They went to Stonington to live.

Children, from Stonington records:

- 474. Miller 4 Fish, born Oct. 9, 1737.
- 475. William Fish, born April 26, 1739.
- 476. Elikan Fish, born Feb. 2, 1741.
- 477. Joseph Fish, born March 25, 1742.
- 478. Nathaniel Fish, born Feb. 6, 1744.
- 479. Lydia Fish, born March 3, 1746.
- 480. Mary Fish, born March 5, 1748.
- 91. Benjamin <sup>3</sup> Pabodie (William, <sup>2</sup> Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born Nov. 25, 1717, by second wife, Elizabeth. He went to Newport to live and married there, by Rev. James Searing, Aug. 7, 1745, to Abigail Lyon. He died, 1792, in Newport. Spoken of as Deacon Benjamen Pabodie in the Probate Records. He left no will, but his wife Abigail was made administratrix on his estate. Only one child is entered on the town records, and we have no means of knowing, at present, whether he had more.

### Children:

- 481. Elizabeth Pabodie, born Oct. 2, 1746.
- 481a. Abigail Pabodie (Dr. Selim Peabody).

A Benjamin Peabody dies in Newport in 1794, but I cannot place him. He probably belongs to another family of Peabodys there from the earliest days. See Austin's Genealogical Dictionary.

#### WILL OF DANIEL GRINNELL.

"In the name of God, Amen, this Day of November, A.D. 1726. I, Daniel Grinnell, of Saybrook in the County of New London and Colony of Connecticut in New Eng-

land, being advanced in years, and under bodily weaknesses and infirmities, but through the goodness of Almighty God of sound mind and memory, and calling to mind the mortality of my body, and knowing that it is appointed to all men once to die, do make and ordain this my last will and testament, that is to say, principally, first of all, I give and recommend my soul in to the hands of God that gave it, and my body I recommend to the earth, to be buried in decent Christian manner at the discretion of my executors, nothing doubting but at the resurrection, I shall receive the same again by the mighty powers of God, and as touching such worldly estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me in this life, I give, devise, and dispose of the same in the following manner and form, my just debts and funeral charges being first paid out of my personal estate:

"Imprimis. — I give and bequeath to Lydia, my dearly beloved wife, the use and improvement, income, profits, and advantages of all my personal estate, during the time that she shall remain my widow.

"Item.—I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Lay such a sum out of my estate, which, together with what she has received, and shall receive before my decease, will make up the sum of thirty pounds in value.

"Item. — I give and bequeath to my daughter Priscilla Redfield the same.

"Item. — I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Stevens the same.

"Item. — I give and bequeath to the children of my daughter Lydia Clark deceased such a sum out of my estate, which with what she, the said Lydia, received in her lifetime, will make up the value of thirty pounds value.

"Item. — I give to my daughter Rebecca Donde the same, thirty pounds.

"Item. — I give to my daughter Sarah Brooker the same, thirty pounds.

"Item. — I give to my daughter Jemima Chalker the same.

"Item.—I give to my beforenamed daughters, besides what I have before given them, I give and bequeath to each of them severally one seventh part of all my household goods, after the decease of my beloved wife Lydia, and the other seventh part of my said household goods I give and bequeath to the children of the aforesaid daughter Lydia over and above what I have already given them, and after the decease of my aforesaid wife.

"Item. — I give and bequeath to my two sons, Peabody and George, after the decease or second marriage of their mother, my aforesaid beloved wife, all my horses, cattle, sheep, or swine, together with all my husbandry utensils and implements to be equally divided between them, my said sons, all which estate named in this paragraph of this my will. I give to them as aforesaid upon conditions that they pay the aforesaid legacies herein particularly given to each one of their sisters, and to the heirs of Lydia Clark, deceased, and in failure thereof, viz of ye payment of said legacies as aforesaid, my will is that each and every one of my aforesaid legatees, said daughters and the heirs of said Lydia Clark, shall have their several legacies levied out of the estate in this paragraph mentioned. And I do thereby constitute, and ordain and appoint my dearly beloved wife Lydia, and my two sons Peabody and George, to be the executrix and executors of this my last will and testament, and I do hereby disallow, revoke, and disannul all former wills, testaments, and bequests by me made, ratifying, allowing, and confirming this, and this only as my last will and testament. In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this day and year aforesaid, Daniel Grinnell signed, sealed, and published, and declared by said Daniel Grinnell, as his last will and testament in presence of us, Samuel Jones, Samuel Willard."

Mr. Edwin A. Hill sends the following: "1702, Sept. 2, Thomas Avery sells to Daniel Grenhill land at Saybrook, West parish (Westbrook), being 200 acres more or less at Pochaug 'south bound sea.'" (Land Records, Vol. 2, page 90.) On September 6th following he sold his lands at Little Compton, 50 acres, to his brother Richard. Daniel Grinnell died Jan. 7, 1740-41.

Peabody<sup>3</sup> Grinnell (Lydia<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born, probably, in Little Compton, about 1686-7. Died, probably, in Saybrook or Westbrook. Married (Saybrook town records) 8th day of April, 1718, Ruth Nettleton. He married, second (Saybrook records), 20 March, 1733, Sarah Barnes. October, 1738, Pabodie Grinnell was among those claiming the rights of the Lord's table. (Church records.)

Children, by first wife, all born in Stonington:

- Daniel Grinnell, born Feb. 8, 1719. He was born with his right ear cropped off, hollowing; died May 7, 1727.
- 483. Ruth Grinnell, born Feb. 8, 1722; died Oct. 9, 1732.
- Lydia Grinnell, born Aug. 28, 1723. 484.
- Jasper Grinnell, born Jan. 29, 1727.) Both baptized 485.
- Barbour Grinnell, born Feb. 19, April 20, 1731. 486. 1728-9.
- Hannah Grinnell, born March 19, 1732; baptized 487. April 23, 1732.

## By second wife:

- 488. Peabody Grinnell, born Feb. 12, 1734; baptized June 23, 1734.
- 489. Samuel Grinnell, born Feb. 14, 1735-6; baptized March 14, 1735.
- Sarah Grinnell, born Oct. 7, 1738; baptized Oct. 9, 490.
- Elizabeth Grinnell, born Sept. 10, 1741; baptized 491. Aug. 3, 1746.
- Jonathan Grinnell, born March 6, 1743. 492.
- 493. Sylvester Grinnell, born March 16, 1745.
- Jemima Grinnell, born Oct. 16, 1747. (Saybrook 494. Records, Book 2, page 172.)

93. George<sup>3</sup> Grinnell (Lydia<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born, probably, in Little Compton about 1683. Married Mary Bull. From church records.

George Grinnell and Mary Grinnell, admitted to the church, also claimed a right to the Lord's table. Among the names on a catalogue of the members of the church living and remaining when Rev. John Devotion was ordained minister, Oct. 26, 1757, were George Grinnell and Mary Grinnell.

### Children:

- 495. William 4 Grinnell, baptized April 20 or 29, 1731.
- 496. Daniel Grinnell, baptized April 20 or 29, 1731.

Among baptisms by Mr. Worthington at organization of Westbrook Church:

- 497. Mary Grinnell, of George and Mary, Dec. 26, 1731.
- 498. Anne Grinnell, of George and Mary, baptized Jan. 23, 1734.
- 499. Phebe Grinnell, of George and Mary, baptized July 25, 1736.
- 500. Rebeckah Grinnell, of George and Mary, baptized Oct. 7, 1738.
- 94. Mary Grinnell<sup>3</sup> (Lydia Pabodie,<sup>2</sup> Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born 1684–5, probably in Little Compton. Died in Westbrook, June 9, 1755, in the seventy-first year of her age (gravestone). She married Dec. 12 or 21, 1703, Robert Lay, son of Robert Lay. He was born Jan. 27, 1680, and died July 1, 1738. His will dated 23 June, 1738, witnessed by William Worthington, John Doude, and Nathaniel Post, speaks of the above children and beloved wife. Probated July 26, 1738, by Mary Lay and Christopher Lay. (Guilford Records, Vol. 3, page 307.)

Children born in Westbrook:

- · 501. Robert Lay.4
  - 502. Christopher Lay.
  - 503. Daniel Lay.

- 504. Jeremiah Lay.
- 505. Jonathan Lay.
- 506 John Lay.
- 507. Lydia Lay.
- 508. Phebe Lay.
- 95. Priscilla<sup>3</sup> Grinnell (Lydia Pabodie,<sup>2</sup> Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born about 1690, probably in Little Compton; "the second daughter and fourth child." Died Jan. 12, 1770; buried in Clinton (old Killingworth), Conn., in her eighty-first year. On the 24th December, 1706, Mr. Theophilus Redfield married Priscilla Grinnell "then aged seventeen years, daughter of Daniel and Lydia Grinnell, who three years ago had settled in that part of Saybrook, then called Pochaug (now Westbrook.)" Theophilus Redfield lived and died in old Killingworth. He is buried near Chestnut Hill.

## Children born in old Killingworth:

- 509. Daniel Redfield, born Sept. 22, 1707.
- 510. Elizabeth Redfield, born May 8, 1709.
- 511. Richard Redfield, born June 18, 1711.
- 512. Ebenezer Redfield, born Dec. 3, 1713.
- 513. Lydia Redfield, born Feb. 9, 1715-6.
- 514. Theophilus Redfield, born Sept. 6, 1718.
- 515. Priscilla Redfield, born July 20, 1720.
- 516. Peleg Redfield, born April 2, 1723.
- 517. George Redfield, born Nov. 7, 1725.
- 518. William Redfield, born Dec. 5, 1727.
- 519. Josiah Redfield, born Sept. 6, 1730.
- 520. Jane Redfield, born June 24, 1733.
- 521. James Redfield, born March 29, 1735.
- 97. Elizabeth <sup>3</sup> Grinnell (Lydia <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth Alden). She married a Stevens and was alive at her father's death. As yet I have failed to find anything more.
- 98. Lydia<sup>3</sup> Grinnell (Lydia<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born about 1692, and died before her father. Married,

9-25-1712, Joseph Clarke, son of Major John Clarke and Rebecca Beaumont, grandson of John Clarke and Rebeckah Parker, and great-grandson of John Clarke. He was born 1-23-1692, at Saybrook, Conn.

Children on Saybrook records:

- 522. Joseph Clarke, born 1-25-1714.
- 523. Rebeckah Clarke, born 6-5-1716.
- 524. Lydia Clark, born 5-4-1718.

There may have been more.

- 98a. Rebecca <sup>3</sup> Grinnell (Lydia <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). I know nothing more, but I find a Rebecca Higby marries John Doude, 2d (in Doude Genealogy), and had:
  - 525. Elizabeth Doude, 1738.
  - 526. John Doude, 3d, 1739, died 1824.
  - 527. Rebecca Doude, born 1740, died 1797.
  - 528. Mary Doude, born 1743.
  - 529. Rely Doude, born 1744, died about 1806.
- 99. Sarah <sup>3</sup> Grinnell (Lydia <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Married, April 29, 1717, —— Brookes. (I have lost the first name.) I know nothing more.
- 100. Jemima<sup>3</sup> Grinnell (Lydia<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born Jan. 26, 1704–5, died Feb. 3, 1762. Married, March 4, 1724, to Abraham Chalker, born May 1, 1699, and died Sept. 20, 1783. He was the son of Abraham Chalker, Sen., and was lieutenant of the Saybrook Train Band. His grandfather, Alexander Chalker, was killed in the Narragansett fight.

Besides others:

- 530. Jemima <sup>4</sup> Chalker, born Aug. 2, 1726.
- 101. Daniel<sup>3</sup> Grinnell (Lydia<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Saybrook, 1707. I feel sure he died young, as he or his heirs are not mentioned in his father's will. I feel sure that there is an error in the Buckingham

Genealogy. It says, "Deacon Jedidiah Chapman of Westbrook, son of Major Jedidiah and Hester (Kirkland) Buckingham, born Dec. 15, 1726. Married Mary Grinnell, daughter of Daniel, in the year 1755." I feel sure she is daughter of George (Daniel), born 1731.

102. Hannah <sup>4</sup> Bradford (Elizabeth <sup>3</sup> Rogers, Elizabeth <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz. <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Duxbury Feb. 14, 1689. Died probably in Berkeley after 1757, where her husband made his will. She married in Duxbury, June 16, 1709, "Nathaniel <sup>4</sup> Gilbert of Taunton," son of Thomas <sup>3</sup> (Thomas, John <sup>1</sup>) and Anna (Black) Gilbert. He was born July 12, 1683. His will is dated June 2, 1757.

"In the name of God, Amen. I, Nathaniel Gilbert of Berkeley, in the county of Bristol in New England, Gentlemen, this second day of June, Anno Domini 1757, & in the thirtieth year of his Majesty's Reign, George ye Second, ye King, being through God's goodness, advanced to old age, but still of a sound judgment, and disposing mind, thanks be to God, therefore, and calling to mind the mortality of my body, and that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make and ordain this, and no other to be my last will and Testament.

"Principally, and above all, I give and Recommend my soul into the hands of God that gave it in hopes of Salvation through Christ ye Redeemer, and my body to the Earth for a decent and Christian burial, at the discretion of my executors, hereafter named, hoping & trusting that at the general resurrection of the just to receive the same by ye Almighty power of God, and as touching such worldly estate God has blessed me with, I give bequeath & dispose of the same in manner & form following, viz.

"First, my will is that my just debts & funeral charges be paid by one of my executor hereafter named, viz. my son Samuel out of what I give him in this will.

"I give and bequeath to my well beloved wife Hannah, the

improvement of one third part of all my real estate as ye law hath endowed her with during her life. I also give sd wife ye improvement of one cow, during her said life. I also give sd wife, the sole improvement of all my househeld goods, during sd natural life, and all in lieu of dower, out of my estate.

"I give and bequeath to my eldest son Thomas Gilbert, and to his heirs, and assigns forever, all my purchase rights in ye old township of Taunton, viz, half a right which was my honored father's, Mr Thomas Gilbert's, and half a purchase right I bought of Thomas Danforth, and one quarter of a right I bought of John Newland, and one whole right in Taunton old township, so called, bought of Palmer Doughty with all lands & rights to land & commonage in sd propriety to fuller divisions, and I also confirm & ratify all lands & titles to lands I have given said son Thomas by deed, heretofore conveyed, together with three acres and a half in land in sd Berkley (Taunton Proprietore measure) & is the premises he conveyed to me laying near a place called the Ridge of Trees on the Southeast side of the highway leading from Israel Tisdale's to pole plain, said son Thomas to have & to hold the same, to him, his heirs & assigns forever, and this with what I have heretofore given him by deeds of gift is his sole proportion out of my estate, with what is given him hereafter in this will.

"I give & bequeath to my grandson Nathaniel Gilbert, son of my son Nathaniel, late of said Taunton, but now deceased, the whole of my tract of land in sd Taunton lying on ye Eastside of Taunton Great River, between the ways leading from ye Ware Bridge, towards James Coopers, and from sd Coopers to the way leading to the dwelling of Seth Williams, Esq. & adjoyns to land where I have buried two daughters.

"I give sd grandson all sd piece of land adjoyning together containing about nine acres more or less, he to have & hold the same to him, his heirs & assigns, forever (always excepting about three quarters of an acre of sd land in the fork of the said paths, near to & adjoyning, and where several of my children are buried, & lay principally in ye most convenient place on the Southwest side of the Hill next to sd way leading from sd bridge to sd Coopers, which three quarters of an acre is always to be for the publick use of a burying place, not only myself & posterity, but also for the Christian neighborhood.

"I also give sd grandson Nathaniel his heirs, & assignes forever, a certain piece of cedar swamp in Taunton old township, and in the great cedar swamp, so called of about nine acres, and lays to the the east of a lott called Thrashers (?) & runs from the upland to extent to the line called ve North Purchase Line, which piece of Swamp descended to me from my honoured father Thomas Gilbert. I also give sd grandson Nathaniel & his heirs & assignes forever, a certain piece of land in said Berkley containing about seven acres, & lays on a plain called Pole plain, and adjoyns to the land of Samuel Dean, James Harvey & the way leading over Pole plain & is all the land I have in sd plain, adjoyning to the way, sd Nathaniel to have & to hold the same, provided he pay to his brother George Gilbert, his heirs or assignes, the sum of six pounds when said grandson George shall arrive at the age of twenty one years, but if failure be made of said payment, then said last mentioned lands to be & remain to sd George his heirs and assignes forever.

"And I also give to my grandson George, son of my sd Son Nathaniel, the six pound ordered to be paid by his brother Nathaniel, but if the sd Nathaniel do not make payment of sd six pounds to said George when he arrives at twenty one years of age, then sd George to enter and hold sd seven acres, his heirs & assignes forever, and what is above given to sd Nathaniel, & George, with what I gave their father by deeds & otherwise in his lifetime is the whole of what I intend to give the children & representatives of sd. Nathaniel dec'd.

"I give to my son Samuel Gilbert of said Berkley all & singular my mansion, house, lands, & premises laying in

said Berkley, including the lands, I purchased of Thos. Gilbert, Esqr. heretofore Malicai Holloways, and all the lands I purchased of sd Samuel by deed, heretofore belonging to Bezaleel Thrasher including the land I purchased of Nathaniel Townsend called twenty two acres, in the whole about one hundred & forty acres, more or less, with all the appurtenances on sd lands belonging, as also eight acres of land heretofore granted me on ye late eight acre division laying near to my sd. homestead on ye original rights of Gilbert & Wiat, & all lays in Berkley aforesaid, he sd Samuel to have & to hold the same to him, his heirs & assignes forever as an absolute estate in fee forever. I also ratify & confirm to sd son his heirs & assignes all ye land I heretofore gave him by deed in ye town of Norton in said County. I also give sd Samuel the desk he has in possession. I also give sd Samuel all my live stock of cattle, sheep, & swine, and all my live stock including my husbandry tools only, reserving ye cow I have in this will given to my wife, provided sd Samuel perform what I shall order him in this will hereafter named.

"I give & bequeath to ye children of my late daughter Hannah, the wife of Ebenezer Smith deceased, over & above what I gave to said children's father & mother in their lifetime, of my estate real & personal which was considerable. I now give Lemuel Smith, John Smith, & Ebenezer Smith twelve pence each to be paid them by my son Samuel Gilbert, after my decease; & to Mary Smith daughter of my said Hannah deceased, I give her four Spanish milled dollars, to be paid her within twelve months after my decease by my son Samuel: To Sybil wife of Doget one other of my said granddaughters I give her twelve pence, to be paid her by my son Samuel, she having heretofore received her portion from me. I give to my granddaughter Hannah four Spanish milled dollars, to be paid her within two years after my decease by my son Samuel; & to Abigail one of my granddaughters, & daughter of my late daughter Hannah Smith, I give her four Spanish milled dollars to be paid her within four years after my decease, by my son Samuel.

"I give & bequeath to my daughter Mary Godfrey of Norton. I give her all & singular the swamp & right to swamp in the Great Cedar Swamp so called in sd county & in ye old township of Taunton called ye Burnt Ground in both divisions which descends & belongs to me in ye original right of dower & this is over & above what I have heretofore given her, & furthermore I give her twenty six pounds thirteen shillings & four pence lawful money to be paid her by my said son Samuel within twelve months after my decease, and she sd Mary to have & to hold the same to her heirs and assignes forever.

"I give and bequeathe to my daughter Welthea wife of Ebenezer Hathaway, Junr. over and above what she has already received of me. I further give her twenty six pounds, thirteen shillings & four pence lawful money to be paid her by my sd son Samuel within two years after my decease, & further, I give all & singular the goods & chattels that I have above given to my wife as above that she shall die seized of & not in her lifetime disposed of to be equally divided between my two daughters, Mary & Welthea.

"And also I give to sd son Thomas his heirs & assignes all & singular the lands due to me on former divisions in the old township of Taunton within the said county. not before disposed of in this will & the original right of sd Doughty the swamp given to my dau Mary only excepted. All other estate, real or personal goods, chattels, rights and credits not otherwise disposed of in this will, & of which I shall die seized of, I give to sd son Samuel his heirs & assignes forever & he to pay my just debts & funeral charges & to provide gravestones for my grave after my decease.

"And last of all, I constitute and appoint my said sons Thomas Gilbert & Samuel Gilbert to be my executors to this my said will & testament, & do by these presents utterly revoke, make void all former wills & testaments by me heretofore made, and all executors heretofore before this date named, & do ordain this & no other to be my last will & Testament. In Witness whereof, I, the sd Nathaniel Gilbert have hereinunto set my hand & seal the day & year first before mentioned.

"NATHANIEL GILBERT. (Seal.)

"Signed, sealed, published, pronounced & declared to be ye last will & testament of Capt. Nathaniel Gilbert in presence of us the subscribers.

- "Ebenezer Stephens.
- " Nathan Crane.
- "Katherine Cobb.
- "James Williams."

### Children born in Taunton:

- 531. Thomas 4 Gilbert.
- 532. Hannah Gilbert.
- 533. Mary Gilbert.
- 534. Nathaniel Gilbert.
- 535. Samuel Gilbert.
- 536. Welthea Gilbert.
- 537. Daughter, died before her father.
- 538. Daughter, " " " " " And others died young.
- 104. Gershom <sup>4</sup> Bradford (Hannah <sup>3</sup> Rogers, Elizabeth Pabodie, Eliz. <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Duxbury, Dec. 21, 1691. Died, in Bristol, before 1769. Married in Duxbury, Oct. 23, 1716, to Priscilla Wiswall, daughter of Rev. Ichabod and Priscilla Pabodie Wiswall (his mother's cousin). She was born in Duxbury, Dec. 21, 1691, and died after 1769.

Children, as given in "Davis' Landmarks of Plymouth" and "Bradford Genealogy," N.E. Hist. Gen. Reg., Vol. 4:

- 539. Alexander <sup>5</sup> Bradford.
- 540. David Bradford (Bradford Gen. says Daniel, born 1720).

- 541. Noah Bradford.
- 542. Job Bradford.
- 543. Jeremiah Bradford.
- 544. Priscilla Bradford.
- 545. Hopestill Bradford.
- 546. Eliphalet Bradford.
- 547. Rachel Bradford.
- 548. Solomon Bradford.
- 105. <sup>4</sup> Perez Bradford (<sup>3</sup> Hannah Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, Dec. 28, 1694. Harvard College, 1713. Died in Attleboro', June 19, 1746, æt. 52. He married, in Dedham, Abigail Belcher (this has been given erroneously as Belch or Balch); Dedham Records say "April 14, 1720, by Rev. Joseph Belcher, 'the same day married Mr. Perez Bradford and Mrs. Abigail Belcher.' She was daughter of Rev. Joseph and Abigail Belcher; born Aug. 22, 1695. We know their first child was born in Dedham, and probably the others were born in Attleboro'.
  - 549. <sup>5</sup> Abigail Bradford, born in Dedham, May 15, 1721, dau. Mr. Peres and Mrs. Abigail Bradford.
  - 550. Perez Bradford.
  - 551. Joel Bradford.
  - 552. George Bradford.
  - 553. John Bradford.
  - 554. Joseph Bradford.
  - 555. Hannah Bradford.
  - 556. Mary Bradford.
  - 557. Elizabeth Bradford.
- 106. <sup>4</sup> Elizabeth Bradford (<sup>3</sup> Hannah Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. Pabodie, <sup>1</sup>Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, Dec. 15, 1696; married 1st (probably in Duxbury), Jan. 10, 1716–17, Charles Whiting, son of William and Mary (Allyn) Whiting. The Bradford Gen. says she married William Whiting, which is an error. See Goodwin's Genealogical Notes. He was born in Hartford, Conn., July 5, 1692. "Lieut. Charles

Whiting at Montville; died March 7, 1738." She married 2d March, 1739, Deacon John Noyes, of Stonington. She died May 10, 1777.

Children by first husband:

- 558. Mary Whiting, born Jan., 1717. Until lately I have thought Mary Whiting was the great-great-grand-daughter referred to in the couplet "Rise, daughter, to thy daughter run. Her daughter's daughter hath a son," and supposed son should have been changed to daughter; but I find that Nathaniel and Hannah (Bradford) Gilbert had two sons, at least, before Elizabeth Alden died.
- 559. John Whiting, born Aug. 3, 1719.
- 560. Sybil Whiting, born July, 1722.
- 561. Charles Whiting, born August, 1725.
- 562. Elizabeth Whiting, born August, 1725.
- 563. Gamaliel Whiting, born Sept. 17, 1727.
- 564. William Bradford Whiting, born April 15, 1731.
- 565. Bereneze Whiting, born March, 1733.
- 566. Ebenezer Whiting, born May, 1735.

## By second husband:

567. Dorothy Noyes.

107. <sup>4</sup> Jerusha Bradford (<sup>3</sup> Hannah Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, March 10, 1699. She died Aug. 19, 1783, æt. 85 years. Married, probably in Duxbury, Nov. 3, 1719, Reverend Ebenezer Gay, D.D. He was the youngest son of Nathaniel and Lydia (Lusher) Gay, born in Dedham, Mass., Aug. 15, 1696. Harvard College, 1714. He was ordained over the 1st parish of Hingham, June 11, 1718, and was sole pastor till his death. He died March 18, 1787, æt. 90, in the 69th year of his ministry. He published several of his sermons, but the one that has given him the greatest notoriety was preached on his 85th birthday, Aug. 15, 1781, from the text, "I am this day fourscore and five years old," entitled the "Old Man's Calendar." Several editions have been printed in this country, and reprinted in England and in Holland.

## Children born in Hingham, Mass.:

- 568. Samuel Gay, born Jan. 15, 1721; graduated Harvard College, 1740. Died in Chelsea, England, March 26, 1746, where he was studying medicine.
- 569. Abigail Gay, born Sept. 8, 1722; died Feb. 8, 1729.
- 570. Calvin Gay, born Sept. 14, 1724.
- 571. Martin Gay, born Dec. 29, 1726.
- 572. Abigail Gay, born Aug. 20, 1729.
- 573. Celia Gay, born Aug. 13, 1731; died Feb. 18, 1749.
- 574. Jotham Gay, born April 11, 1733.
- 575. Jerusha Gay, born March 17, 1735.
- 576. Ebenezer Gay, born March 3, 1737; died 1738.
- 577. Persis Gay, born Nov. 2, 1739; died March 24, 1754.
- 578. Joanna Gay, born Nov. 23, 1741; died July 23, 1772.

Most of this is from the Gay genealogy in N.E. Hist. and Gen. Reg., Vol. 19.

108. <sup>4</sup> Welthea Bradford (<sup>3</sup> Hannah Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, May 15, 1702, and died in Hingham, June 2, 1755, æt. 53 years. Married <sup>4</sup> Peter Lane, son of <sup>3</sup> Ebenezer Lane (<sup>2</sup> George William and Hannah (Hearsey) Lane). ("Genealogical History of Hingham," pages 412–414). He was born in Hingham, May 25, 1697, and died March 17, 1764, æt. 67 years. "Inventory, £329 16s. 8d.," and included land at Great Lots, Joys Rocks, Cohasset, Scituate, and Abington. Administrator, John Holbrooke, of Weymouth. Peter Lane was a farmer and a constable. He resided in the paternal homestead, North, near Beal street.

# Children, all born in Hingham:

- 579. Hannah Lane, born May 27, 1724.
- 580. Irene Lane, born Jan. 6, 1725-6.
- 581. Lucy Lane, born June 6, 1728; died Feb. 9, 1733-4.
- 582. George Lane, bapt. June 6, 1731.
- 583. Lucy Lane, born March 16, 1734-5.
- 584. Sybil Lane, born July 26, 1741.
- 585. Sarah Lane, bapt. Oct. 6, 1745.

109. Hon. <sup>4</sup> Gamaliel Bradford (<sup>3</sup> Hannah Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury, May 18, 1704. Died April 24, 1778, æt. nearly 74 years. He married in Duxbury, Aug. 30 or 31, 1728, Abigail Bartlett, daughter of Benjamin and Ruth (Pabodie) Bartlett. She was an own cousin of his mother. She was born in Duxbury, 1703. She died Aug. 30, 1776.

Children, all born in Duxbury:

- 586. 5 Abigail Bradford, born Sept. 24, 1728.
- 587. (Capt.) Samuel Bradford, born Jan. 2, 1730.
- 588. Gamaliel Bradford, born Sept. 2, 1731.
- 589. Seth Bradford, born Sept. 14, 1733.
- 590. (Capt.) Pabodie Bradford, born March 8, 1735.
- 591. Deborah Bradford, born Aug. 17, 1738. [Died Aug. 1, 1739, says Winsor, but Bradford gen. in N.E. Register says, married Capt. Melzar Adams, of Kingston, and had 7 children.]
- 592. Hannah Bradford, born July 20, 1740.
- 593. Andrew Bradford, born June 2, 1742.
- 594. Peter Bradford, born July 5, 1743.
- 595. Ruth Bradford, born July 5, 1745.
- 110. Judge <sup>4</sup> W<sup>m</sup>. Richmond ( <sup>3</sup> Elizabeth Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Elizabeth Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Elizabeth Alden). \* "Born in Little Compton, R.I., Oct. 10, 1694, and died there Feb. 22, 1770. Married, July 8, 1720, <sup>3</sup> Anna Gray, daughter of <sup>2</sup> Thomas Gray ( <sup>1</sup>Edward) and <sup>3</sup> Anna (Little) Gray ( <sup>2</sup> Ephraim, <sup>1</sup> Thomas). She was born in Little Compton, Jan. 29, 1702, and died in Bristol, R.I., Oct. 9, 1762. His will, dated July 5, 1766, proved April, 1770, mentions sons, Barzillai, Ephraim, William, Perez, Thomas, Sylvester; daughters, Elizabeth Brownell, wife of Jonathan; Mary Ware, wife of Dr. George Ware; Sarah Walker, wife of David Walker; Abigail Pitts, wife of Peter Pitts; daughter-in-law Hannah, wife of son William; grandson Gilbert, son of son Ichabod, dec.; grand-daughter Anna, daughter of Ephraim. Hon. William Rich-

<sup>\*</sup> From "Richmond Genealogy," by Joshua B. Richmond, page 34.

mond was a judge, and instrumental in locating the line securing Little Compton to Rhode Island. He was Town Clerk, March 15, 1731.

"Children, all born in Little Compton:

- "596. 5 Barzillai Richmond, born April 13, 1721.
  - 597. Ephraim Richmond, born May 5, 1723.
  - 598. Elizabeth Richmond, born Feb. 26, 1725.
  - 599. William Richmond, born Aug. 20, 1727.
  - 600. Perez Richmond, born Oct. 13, 1729.
  - 601. Ichabod Richmond, born Oct. 18, 1731.
  - 602. Thomas Richmond, born Dec. 13, 1733.
  - 603. Mary Richmond, born Dec. 26, 1735.
  - 604. Sarah Richmond, born Jan. 8, 1738.
  - 605. Sylvester Richmond, born Oct. 7, 1740.
  - 606. Abigail Richmond, born Feb. 26, 1744.
- "There was probably another daughter:
  - "607. Thankful, who married —— Greenwood, and went West," so says the Genealogy.
- 111. <sup>4</sup> Elizabeth Richmond (<sup>3</sup> Elizabeth Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Elizabeth Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Elizabeth Alden). Born in Little Compton, R.I., May 10, 1696. She died probably in Dighton, Sept. 26, 1765, in the 70th year of her age. Married, Nov. 1 (L. C. Rec. say Dec. 15), 1715, Rev. Nathaniel Fisher, son of Daniel and Mary (Fuller) Fisher, born April 5, 1687, in Dedham, and died Dighton, Aug. 30, 1777, aged 91. The Dighton records do not give dates of daughters' births, and there may have been others who died young. Rev. Nathaniel Fisher graduated Harvard, 1706. Ordained at Dighton in 1711, first minister in Dighton.

Children, probably born in Dighton:

- 5 Abigail Fisher died in 1748, married George Bowers,
  Feb. 28, 1739-40; their child Elizabeth died Sept.
  9, 1748, æt. 3 years.
- 609. Elizabeth Fisher.
- 610. Nathaniel Fisher, born May 6, 1725; died Aug. 1, 1728.
- 611. Jeremiah Fisher, born Sept. 22, 1728.

- 612. Nathaniel Fisher, born Dec. 20, 1733; died May 2, 1748.
- 112. (Hon. and Col.) <sup>4</sup> Sylvester Richmond (<sup>3</sup> Elizabeth Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Elizabeth Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Elizabeth Alden). Born in Little Compton, June 30, 1698; died in Dighton, Mass., Jan. 14, 1783, in the 85th year of his age. He married Elizabeth Talbut, daughter of Jared, 2d, and Rebecca Talbut, of Dighton. She was born June 14, 1699, and died in Dighton, June 23, 1773, in her 73d year.

He removed from Little Compton to Dighton, Mass., about 1723. He was sheriff of Bristol county; representative from Dighton to General Court, 1741 to 1747; colonel in the British army; active in Spanish and French wars, and distinguished himself at Cape Breton. When the Revolution came, he was in sympathy with the patriot cause (pages 35–38 of "Richmond Genealogy").

- 613. Ezra Richmond, born Jan. 28, 1721.
- 614. Rebecca Richmond, born Feb. 12, 1723.
- 615. Elizabeth Richmond, born Dec. 22, 1726.
- 616. Sylvester Richmond, born Nov. 20, 1729.
- 617. Hannah Richmond, born Sept. 17, 1731.
- 618. Mary Richmond, born March 10, 1733.
- 619. Ruth Richmond, born March 18, 1736-7; died unmarried at Dighton.
- 620. John Richmond, born March 12, 1738-9.
- 621. Nathaniel Richmond, born March 12, 1738-9.
- 113. <sup>4</sup> Peleg Richmond (<sup>3</sup> Elizabeth Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Elizabeth Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Elizabeth Alden). Born in Little Compton, Oct. 25, 1700. He died Aug. 13, 1783. He married 1st, in Portsmouth, R.I., Dec. 14, 1727, his cousin Patience Palmer, daughter of William and Mary (Richmond) Palmer, born Feb. 19, 1704. She died Dec. 27, 1728, and he married secondly, in January, 1733, Mary Viall, widow of James Viall, and daughter of John and Mary (Cobham)

Pierce. James Viall died in 1731, leaving widow Mary and four children ("Narragansett Register," Vol. 3, page 78), Peleg Richmond, of Little Compton, and Mary Viall, of Barrington, Mass. Intentions Dec. 30, 1732; married Jan., 1733.

By first wife he had:

622. <sup>5</sup> Gamaliel Richmond, born in Little Compton, April 24, 1728.

By second wife Mary (Pierce) Viall he had born in Barrington:

- 623. Peleg Richmond, born March 5, 1733; died young.
- 624. John Rogers Richmond, born April 23, 1737.
- 625. Mary Richmond, born Sept. 3, 1740.
- 626. Elizabeth Richmond, born
- 627. James Richmond, bapt. Aug. 17, 1735; probably died young.
- 628. Sarah Richmond.

His will was made 1767, proved Nov. 10, 1783. He lived in Rehoboth. He settled in Barrington in 1767; buried at Prune's Hill.

114. Capt. <sup>4</sup> Perez Richmond (<sup>3</sup> Eliz. Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton, Oct. 5, 1702. He died Sept. 15, 1770. He married, March 11, 1731 (Int. Feb. 20), by Rev. Richard Billings, Deborah Loring, his stepmother's daughter. She was daughter of Thomas and Deborah (Cushing) Loring, born in Duxbury, Mass., Dec. 9, 1710, and died April 14, 1782. Both are buried in the Old Cemetery in Little Compton.

"In memory of Capt Perez Richmond of Dartmouth, who died Sept. 15, A.D. 1770, in the 68th year of his age." "In memory of Loring son of Capt Perez Richmond of Dartmouth, and Deborah his wife, who died Sept. 20, 1754, in ye 16th year of his age." "In memory of Deborah, relict of Capt Perez Richmond of Dartmouth. She departed this life April 14, 1782 in the 82nd year of her age."

"Fare well, vain world,
Since thou hast been to me
Dust and a shadow,
These I leave to thee."

## Children, born in Dartmouth, Mass., now Westport:

- 630. <sup>5</sup> Hannah Richmond, born Jan. 15, 1732.
- 631. Joshua Richmond, born July 1, 1734.
- 632. Edward Richmond, born Aug. 5, 1736.
- 633. Loring Richmond, born Dec. 27, 1738; died Sept. 20, 1754.
- 634. Perez Richmond, born Feb. 1, 1741.
- 635. Deborah Richmond, born June 30, 1742.
- 636. Elizabeth Richmond, born Nov. 25, 1745.
- 637. Benjamin Richmond, born Aug. 7, 1747.
- 638. Mary Richmond, born Aug. 27, 1749.
- 639. Lucia Richmond, born July 26, 1751; married George Brownell.

Capt. Perez Richmond's commission from King George II. was dated Sept. 1, 1742. He inherited the bulk of his father's property, and was prominent among the men of his time. His will, dated May 29, 1765, proved Sept. 24, 1770, Vol. 21, page 397, mentions wife Deborah, sons Joshua, Edward, Perez, and Benjamin, and daughters, Hannah, wife of David Jacobs; Elizabeth, wife of Joshua Jacobs; Deborah, Mary, and Lucy. His homestead was part in Little Compton and part in Westport.

115. Dr. <sup>4</sup> Ichabod Richmond (<sup>3</sup> Eliz. Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton, Feb. 27, 1704; died in Bristol, Sept. 29, 1762. He married (published July 30, 1757) Abigail Ford, of Pembroke. He was a physician in Dartmouth, now Westport, in 1733, Bristol, 1737, and Little Compton, 1746. His will was made April 3, 1762, and speaks of wife Abigail and son Nathaniel. Benjamin Cushing, of Providence, R.I., married Mrs. Abigail Richmond, widow of Dr. Ichabod, Sept. 11, 1765.

Child (perhaps more died young):

- 640. Nathaniel Richmond, baptized, "son of Dr. Ichabod and Abigail Richmond, Aug. 30, 1761."
- 117. <sup>4</sup>Ruth Richmond (<sup>3</sup> Eliz. Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton, March 7, 1705–6. She died Nov. 15, 1776, in 71st year of her age. She married, Aug. 27, 1724, Ephraim Atwood, son of Joseph and Esther (Walker) Atwood. He died Aug. 14, 1776, in his 87th year.

Children, born in Dighton, Mass.:

- 641. Sylvester Atwood, born Sept. 4, 1725.
- 642. Ruth Atwood, born May 4, 1727.
- 643. Ephraim Atwood, born July 16, 1737.
- 118. <sup>4</sup> Sarah Richmond (<sup>3</sup> Eliz. Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton, Oct. 31, 1711. She died Sept. 6, 1739. She married, Sept. 20, 1730 (another date Nov. 19, 1730), Rev. Peleg Heath, son of Wm. Heath, born July 26, 1700, in Roxbury. He married 2d, Aug. 26, 1740, Bethiah Peck. She died Oct. 28, 1740. He married 3d, Dec. 8, 1743, Jerusha Peck, by whom he had two children. He died Oct. 5, 1748. He was ordained in Barrington, Nov. 13, 1728. His pastorate continued till 1740.

Children, born in Barrington, R.I.:

- 644. <sup>5</sup> Mary Heath, born Feb. 24, 1731-2.
- 645. Peleg Heath, born Aug. 27, 1734, d. y.
- 646. Peleg Heath, born March 3, 1735-6, d. y.
- 647. Nathaniel Heath, born Feb. 20, 1737-8, d. y.
- 119. <sup>4</sup> Mary Richmond (<sup>3</sup> Eliz. Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born, Little Compton, Nov. 2, 1713. She died, North Yarmouth, Maine, Sept. 15, 1803. She (then of Tiverton) married, Feb. 17, 1737, Rev. Nicholas Loring, of North Yarmouth, son of John and Jane (Baker) Loring,

born Sept. 1, 1711. He died July 21, 1763. He graduated Harvard College in 1732. Ordained in Yarmouth, 1736.

Children, born in North Yarmouth:

- 648. Richmond Loring, born March 29, 1738.
- 649. Bezaleel Loring, born April 13, 1739.
- 650. Levi Loring, born Dec. 3, 1740.
- 651. Lucretia Loring, born Jan. 3, 1742.
- 652. Mary Loring, born Sept. 22, 1744.
- 653. Elizabeth Loring, born Feb. 22, 1746.
- 654. Rachel Loring, born Nov. 2, 1748.
- 655. Thomas Loring, born June 6, 1751.
- 656. Nicholas Loring, born June 23, 1755.
- 657. Jeremiah Loring, born April 17, 1758.
- 120. <sup>4</sup>Rogers Richmond (<sup>3</sup>Eliz. Rogers, <sup>2</sup>Eliz. Pabodie, <sup>1</sup>Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton, May 25, 1716, and died 1762. Married, May 17, 1739 (published April 21, 1739), Susannah (Viall) Lee, widow of George Lee, of Boston, to whom she was married, Oct. 24, 1734, and daughter of Samuel and Susanna (Flint) Viall, of Swansey. She was born Nov. 15, 1712, and died Feb. 6, 1762. His will, dated Jan. 11, 1762, proved March, 1762, mentions wife Susannah, and daughters Elizabeth, Mary, and Susannah. Inventory £6. 68s. 9d.

Children, born in Bristol:

- 658. Susannah Richmond, born Feb. 14, 1740, and died June 23, 1740.
- 659. <sup>5</sup> Viall Richmond, born March 8, 1741; baptized June 21, 1741, and died Feb. 13, 1742.
- 660. Samuel Viall Richmond, born Nov. 25, 1742; died at Albany on his return home from camp, 1760.
- 661. Elizabeth Richmond, born Jan. 26, 1743-4; died July 31, 1766.
- 662. Mary Richmond, born April 15, 1745.
- 663. Sarah Richmond, born June 17, 1746.
- 121. <sup>4</sup> Deborah Searle (<sup>3</sup> Sarah Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Dorchester, Nov. 17, 1695, and

died May —, 1776, in Little Compton, R.I. Married in Little Compton, by Rev. Richard Billings, Feb. 20, 1717, to George Pearce, son of George and Alice (Hart) Pearce. He was born March 2, 1697, and died Feb. 22, 1764, in Little Compton.

## Children, born in Little Compton:

- <sup>5</sup> Alice Pearce, born Nov. 14, 1718.
- 665. Sarah Pearce, born Nov. 11, 1720; died July 20, 1721.
- 666. Jepthah Pearce, born Feb. 20, 1722.
- 667. Temperance Pearce, born Jan. 20, 1724.
- 668. Jeremiah Pearce, born Dec. 22, 1725; died Oct. 17, 1750.
- 669. Nathaniel Pearce, born Oct. 13, 1727.
- 670. Sarah Pearce, born Jan. 14, 1729.
- 671. Ruth Pearce, born Oct. 20, 1731.
- Autrace Pearce, born Nov. 12, 1733. 672.
- 673. Deborah Pearce, born Feb. 23, 1735.
- 674. Richard Pearce, born April 19, 1736.
- <sup>4</sup> Sarah Searle (<sup>3</sup> Sarah Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton April 2, 1700; died ——. Married, by Rev. Richard Billings (Int. June 12), June 25, 1725, Thomas Dring, son of Thomas and Mary (Butler) Dring. He was born April 23, 1704, and died Sept., 1787.
  - Children, born in Little Compton:

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- <sup>5</sup> Tabitha Dring, born Oct. 2, 1725. Benjamin Dring, born Nov. 27, 1727. 676.
- 677. Philip Dring, born —, 1729.
- 678. Ruth Dring, born —, 1732.
- 679. Nathaniel Dring, born —, 1734.
- 680. Abigail Dring, born —, 1736.
- 681. Mary Dring, born ——, 1737.
- 682. Hannah Dring, born —, 1739.
- <sup>4</sup> Nathaniel Searle (<sup>3</sup> Sarah Rogers, <sup>2</sup> Eliz. Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton, April 26, 1703. He died Dec. 8, 1781. He was married by Rev. Richard Billings. Int. June 12. Married, June 18, 1725, to Eliza-

beth Kinnecut, of Swansey, Mass. She was born 1701. [Little Compton Records as printed in Vital Statistics have the name Nicholas Searle, which is an error.] They are both buried in the Old Cemetery—a double tomb with a handsome slab laid flat on concrete.

"Sacred to the memory of the Hon. Nathaniel Searle, who departed this life on the 8th day of Dec. 1781, in the 79th year of his age.

"In life he was Amiable and Discreet and with strict integrity he discharged the several Duties of a Chieftain, a Magistrate and a Friend.

"At Death his Steady Confidence and Hope in the Mercy of God our Savior, supported him with that manly Fortitude, which ever becomes a sincere and faithful servant of the Redeemer."

On the same stone:

"Here resteth the precious Remains of Mrs. Elizabeth Searle, the amiable consort of the Hon. Nathaniel Searle. Esq. She departed this life on the 11th day of Dec. 1781. A.D. in the 80th year of her age.

"In life her Universal Benevolence endeared her to all. Her Virtues as a wife, a Parent and Friend shone with becoming lustre. And her Hope, being steadfastly fixed on God, our Saviour, whose benign influence supported her through a Train of complicated Diseases, for many years, with that Patience and Richness of Soul becoming the Profession, and enabled her to meet Death diserted of all its Terrors."

Children, born in Little Compton:

- 683. <sup>5</sup> John Searle, born Aug. 24, 1726.
- 684. Constant Searle, born June 17, 1728; "killed at Wyoming."
- 685. Daniel Searle, born Sept. 8, 1730.
- 686. Betsey Searle, born June 3, 1732.
- 687. Sarah Searle, born Jan. 28, 1733.
- 688. Nathaniel Searle, born Dec. 25, 1735.
- 689. James Searle, born Oct. 5, 1737.

- 690. Ruth Searle, born Sept. 12, 1740; died Oct. 22, 1740.
- 691. Comfort Searle, born June 11, 1742.
- 125. <sup>4</sup> Isaac Soule (<sup>3</sup> Mercy Southworth, <sup>2</sup> Mary Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). Born in Duxbury. He was "awarded 4<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> acres of salt meadow at Common Island Duxbury." I know nothing more except that he was alive in 1751, but as there is no settlement of his estate, I think he must have moved out of the country. I think a (692?) Constant Soule, born about 1742, was his son.
- 126. <sup>4</sup> Cornelius Soule (<sup>3</sup> Mercy Southworth, <sup>2</sup> Mary Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, 1703. I quote from a Soule Genealogy, by Dr. Charles E. Banks, U.S.A., in "Old Times in North Yarmouth, Maine": "Cornelius Soule removed to North Yarmouth, Maine, about 1726, where he resided till his death. He soon became prominent in town affairs, being largely interested in land speculations. In the Registry of Deeds of York County, Maine, no less than thirty transfers occur in as many years, to which he was a party, and probably that does not represent all of his business. In the division of property rights, 1727, he drew Lot No. 48, which consisted of 38 acres of upland including the Islands, Middle Brother, Upper Brother, and Sow and Pigs. This lot gave him Pew No. 19 in the First Church, of which he was a member, having been received 9 May, 1731. He was the first assessor of the town in 1733, constable in 1734, and selectman many times. In 1735 he joined with Peter Weare, Stephen Larrabee, et als., in opposing the church call to Rev. Ephraim Keith. When Rev. Nicholas Loring was ordained, he and Andrew Ring furnished the entertainment, for which the town reimbursed them to the extent of £20-17-9. In 1742 he acted as messenger for Governor Shirley, in transporting some official letters from Boston to the Eastern frontier. His journal of the trip is preserved in Mass. Archives, Vol. xxxviii., etc.

He was the first Representative of the town to the General Court of Massachusetts. He was Captain of Co. F, 6th Mass. Volunteers, Colonel Sylvester Richmond, in the siege of Louisburg and the expedition against the French in 1745. About 1732 he married Mrs. Hannah Scales, widow of William Scales, who had been killed by the Indians some years previous. She was received into the church Aug. 8, 1731. She died 19 May, 1762. He died without issue, and was buried in the old graveyard at North Yarmouth. An old slate slab, moss-grown and worn, has this inscription: 'This perpetuates the memory of Capt. Cornelius Soule, who departed this life Oct. ye 20, 1755 in the 52<sup>nd</sup>. yr. of his age.'"

His will dated 3 Sept., 1755, on file in the York Registry, is here given below:

"In the name of God, Amen. The third day of September. Anno Domini. 1755. I, Cornelius Soule of North Yarmouth &c &c, I give, and bequeath to Susannah, my beloved wife, the improvement of all my estate, both real & personal during her natural life, and at her decease I give & bequeath ye same to her son Thomas Scales [whom I also, make, constitute, & appoint my sole executor of this my last will & testament] & to Cornelius Soule son of my brother Barnabas Soule, to be equally divided between them.

"At a Court of Probate, held at York, Jan. 15, 1756, the within written instrument was presented by Thomas Scales Soul, sole Executor therein named." (York County Registry of Probate, Book IX., p. 135.)

127. <sup>4</sup>Barnabas Soule (<sup>3</sup>Mercy Southworth, <sup>2</sup>Mary Pabodie, <sup>1</sup>Eliz. Alden). Born 1705. Went to North Yarmouth. He is the ancestor of many; all the rest in Freeport, Yarmouth, Pownal, and other towns in Maine, descended from Jedidiah. In early part of 1745 bought a homestead of his elder brother Cornelius. He married, in 1737, Jane, the posthumous daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth (Stock-

man) Bradbury, of Salisbury, Mass., born 1718, bapt. 4 Aug., 1718. She was the youngest sister of Mrs. Dorothy, the wife of Rev. Ammi Ruhamah Cutter, and great-grand-daughter of the noted divine Rev. John Wheelwright. Barnabas and his wife were received into the First Church 30 Aug., 1742, by public profession, and on the 5th September following he brought his two sons to baptism. He died 8 April, 1780, aged 75 years; lies buried in the old burying ground that overlooks the town and gives a glimpse of the blue waters of Casco Bay in the distance.

#### Children:

- 693. Moses Soule, born Feb. 19, 1738; bapt. Sept. 5, 1742.
- 694. John Soule, born March 12, 1740; bapt. Sept. 5, 1742.
- 695. Cornelius Soule, born June 28, 1743.
- 696. Sarah Soule, born Sept. 4, 1745; bapt. Oct. 6, 1745.
- 697. Elizabeth Soule, born Oct. 28, 1747; bapt. Nov. 1, 1747.
- 698. Mercy Soule, born Nov. 27, 1749; bapt. Feb. 18, 1750.
- 699. Samuel Soule, born June 16, 1752; bapt. Aug. 1, 1752.
- 700. Jane Soule, born Sept. 27, 1755; bapt. Sept. 28, 1755.
- 701. Barnabas Soule, born March 25, 1758; bapt. May 7, 1758.
- 128. <sup>4</sup> Ichabod Soule (<sup>3</sup> Mercy Southworth, <sup>2</sup> Mary Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury. I found on the Duxbury Records the marriage of Ichabod Soul and Grace Turner, both of Duxbury, March 25, 1734. When the estate was divided, in 1751, we find that Ichabod Soule was dead, and an only child, Abigail Soule, survived him, and received 19 acres of land.

#### Child:

702. <sup>5</sup> Abigail Soule.

- 129. <sup>4</sup> Gideon Soule (<sup>3</sup> Mercy Southworth, <sup>2</sup> Mary Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). I have no more knowledge of him, except he was spoken of as half witted, and an eccentric person, probably never married. An amusing incident can be found on page 201, Winsor's Duxbury.
- 131. <sup>4</sup> Elizabeth Soule (<sup>3</sup> Mercy Southworth, <sup>2</sup> Mary Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Elizabeth Alden). Married Barnabas Perry. He died without a will. I know nothing more.
- 132. <sup>4</sup> Deborah Soule (<sup>3</sup> Mercy Southworth, <sup>2</sup> Mary Pabodie, <sup>1</sup> Eliz. Alden). She married John Hunt as his second wife. The Hunt Genealogy says he was son Thomas and Honour (Stetson) Hunt. He married first Esther Wright(?), and second May 1, 1746, Deborah Soule. By first wife he had Judah, John, Mary, and Asa. By second wife:
  - 703. <sup>5</sup> Samuel Hunt; "was of Capt. Bradford's Company, and died at White Plains."
  - 704. Lot Hunt.
  - 705. Deborah Hunt; married, April 13, 1773, Joseph Brewster, Jr.

The mother died Dec. 14, 1805. I give this family just as it is printed, but do not feel sure of the facts.

133. Jedediah Soule (Mercy Southworth, Mary Pabodie, Elizabeth Alden). Born about 1720, in Duxbury. He came to Long Island, Casco Bay, where he settled. His descendants comprise more than half of the present number of persons who have borne the name of Soule in Freeport. He married, in Duxbury, Tabitha Bishop. After she came to North Yarmouth she was baptized in adult life, 26th Oct., 1766, at the First Church.

- 706. Ichabod <sup>5</sup> Soule, born about 1742.
- 707. Deborah Soule, bapt. 15 Sept., 1765, at the First Church of Falmouth.
- 708. Jedediah Soule, born about 1747.

- 138. Elnathan Weston (Elizabeth Southworth, Mary Pabodie, Elizabeth Alden). Born in Duxbury, Sept. 29, 1727. Winsor says he died Dec. 29, 1777. He lived in Duxbury. He married Jemima Bisbee. Winsor says she died July 6, 1812, aged 87. Weston Genealogy, in 41st vol. of N.E. Hist. and Gen. Register, says she died 1811. Children, born in Duxbury:
  - 709. Samuel 5 Weston, born about 1753.
  - 710. Abigail Weston, born June 4, 1758.
  - 711. Nathaniel Weston, born Dec. 27, 1760; died Oct. 19, 1777, I presume unmarried. "He enlisted with Capt. Wadsworth's company; was at the siege of Boston, joined Gen. Gates' army, was at Ticonderoga," and died in the army.
  - 712. Elizabeth Weston.
  - 712a. Priscilla Weston, born Jan. 7, 1764, says Winsor. Weston Genealogy says, born Sept. 30.
- 139. Deacon Jedediah <sup>4</sup> Southworth (Thomas, <sup>3</sup> Mary <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born about 1702, and died Sept. 8, 1739. He married Hannah Scales, daughter of William Scales, of North Yarmouth, Maine. He removed to North Yarmouth in 1730, but returned to Duxbury in 1735. In my article on Thomas Southworth I gave his will as speaking of "five grandsons, sons of my son Jedediah." I have since seen the will at Plymouth. Thomas Southworth gives to "Deborah Loring, granddaughter," to "five sons of daughter Mary Loring," and to "five grandchildren, children of son Jedediah Southworth."

- 713. Sarah <sup>5</sup> Southworth, born in Duxbury Oct. 8, 1729.
- 714. Susanna Southworth, born in No. Yarmouth, Maine, July 27, 1731; bapt. No. Yarmouth Church.
- 715. John Southworth, born Oct. 22, 1733, in No. Yarmouth.
- 716. James Southworth, born Nov. 17, 1735, probably in Duxbury.
- 717. Lydia Southworth, born in Duxbury, Oct. 11, 1738.

140. Mary <sup>4</sup> Southworth (Thomas, <sup>3</sup> Mary <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Duxbury, Sept. 18, 1703; married Feb. 3, 1724, Thomas Loring, son of Lieut. Thomas and Deborah (Cushing) Loring. He was dead in 1739, for his brother Joshua Loring was appointed administrator and guardians are appointed for the six children. Joshua Loring, the son, dies young and his portion is divided between his brothers and sister.

### Children, born in Duxbury:

- 718. Thomas 5 Loring, born April 12, 1725.
- 719. Simeon Loring.
- 720. Levi Loring.
- 721. Perez Loring, born Aug. 26, 1729.
- 722. Joshua Loring, born Feb. 5, 1735; died Feb. 3, 1754.
- 723. Deborah Loring, born March 31, 1738.
- 141. William<sup>4</sup> Southworth (Constant,<sup>3</sup> Mary<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Duxbury. Married Betsy Fullerton, daughter of Samuel Fullerton.

### Children, born in Duxbury:

- 724. Mary 5 Southworth.
- 725. Rumah Southworth, born 1742.
- 726. Edward Southworth, born 1743.
- 727. Thomas Southworth.
- 728. John Southworth, born 1753.
- 729. Nathaniel Southworth, born 1757.
- 730. William Southworth, born 1759; died June, 1759.
- 731. Alice Southworth, born 1764.
- 142. Benjamin<sup>4</sup> Southworth (Constant,<sup>3</sup> Mary <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). He married Mary Hunt in Kingston (on Kingston records). She was daughter of Thomas Hunt, of Hanover, Mass.

- 732. Sylvia <sup>5</sup> Southworth.
- 733. Cynthia Southworth.
- 734. Abigail Southworth, born 1742.

- 735. A child.
- 736. Honor Southworth.
- 737. Olive Southworth.
- 738. Submit Southworth.

143. Marcy <sup>4</sup> Southworth (Constant, <sup>3</sup> Mary <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). She married and had a family, but the record has not reached me, and this family will be given in the next generation.

143a or 189a. Mary 4 Southworth (Constant, 3 Mary 2 Pabodie, Elizabeth 1 Alden). I found this Mary after the family of Constant had gone to print, so inserted her under the head of Priscilla Simmons as 189a, as Priscilla was a Pabodie descendant. She was born about 1724; died May 16, 1765, age 41. She married Thomas Weston, son of Joseph and Mercy (Peterson) Weston, born in 1726. He always resided in Duxbury. He married second - Jan. 15, 1767 - Martha Chandler, daughter of Joseph and Martha (Hunt) Chandler. She was born Nov. 23, 1716. By his second wife he had Mercy Weston, born Jan. 29, 1768, married Isaiah Alden; Peleg Weston, born 1769; Almira and Rebecca Weston, born June 16, 1774. Thomas Weston made his will, book 25, page 7, Plymouth probate records: "Thomas Weston of Duxburough, yeoman, gives to his dear and loving wife, Martha Weston, the improvement of 1/2 of his real estate; ½ of personal and wood in the woods, so long as she remains my widow, and all the things she brought. To his two sons and two daughters, by his first wife, viz.: Joseph, Thomas, Mary, and Jane, all the wood land that was To his son Peleg, his silver knee buckles their mother's. and stone buttons. I give to my four daughters, Mary, Jane, Mercy, and Rebecca £46. 18. 4. apiece, to be paid by my three sons, Joseph, Thomas, and Peleg, equally. Martha Weston and Joseph Weston executors."

Thomas and Mary (Southworth) Weston had children, all born in Duxbury:

- 739. Joseph <sup>5</sup> Weston, born ——, 1754.
- 740. Mary Weston, born —, 1755; died Sept. 26, 1760 or 1776 (says Weston genealogy).
- 741. Thomas Weston, born July 25, 1760.
- 742. Jane Weston.
- 144. Hannah <sup>4</sup> Southworth (Benjamen, <sup>3</sup> Mary <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). She married Hezekiah Harrington, of Marshfield.
- 145. Thomas <sup>4</sup> Southworth (Benjamen, <sup>3</sup> Mary <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born about 1718; married Anna. Children:
  - 743. William 5 Southworth, born 1763.
  - 744. Constant Southworth, born 1764.
  - 745. Lydia Southworth, born 1766.
  - 746. Hannah Southworth, born 1769.
  - 747. Anna Southworth, born 1770.
- 146. John<sup>4</sup> Southworth (Benjamen,<sup>3</sup> Mary<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Married Sarah Clark.
- 148a. Jasper <sup>4</sup> Southworth (Benjamen, <sup>3</sup> Mary <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born about 1726; spoken of as "of Marshfield." Married Rumah Southworth, daughter of William and Betty (Fullerton) Southworth (his cousin once removed). She was born about 1712.

- 748. Deborah 5 Southworth.
- 749. William Southworth (went to Waldoboro, Maine).
- 750. Francis Southworth, of Machias, 1767.
- 751. Lucy Ann Southworth.
- 752. Charles Southworth.
- 753. James Southworth.
- 148c. Deborah <sup>4</sup> Southworth (Benjamen, <sup>3</sup> Mary <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). She married Reuben <sup>4</sup> Delano. He was son of Joseph <sup>3</sup> Delano (Thomas, <sup>2</sup> Philip <sup>1</sup>).

Children (from Winsor's Duxbury):

- 754. Elizabeth 5 Delano, born Sept. 10, 1755.
- 755. Rebecca Delano, born Sept. 25, 1757.
- 756. Reuben Delano, born June 26, 1761.
- 757. Deborah Delano, born July 25, 1765.
- 758. Sarah Delano, born Feb. 18, 1771.
- 759. Beri Delano, born Oct. 9, 1772.

153. Mercy 4 Simmons (William, 3 Mary 2 Pabodie, Elizabeth 1 Alden). Born in Little Compton, July 1, 1697. Married (Intention Aug. 30) Sept. 13, 1725, by Reverend Richard Billings, James Bennett. He was son of John and Mary ( ) Bennett, formerly of Roxbury, Mass. first wife was Ruth Rogers, daughter of John Rogers, Jr., and Elizabeth (Pabodie) Rogers. By his first wife he had no children that survived. Mercy (Simmons) Bennett died in Nov., 1768. James Bennett died Feby. ye 17, 1729/30, age 64. His will is recorded at Taunton, dated Feb. 5, 1729/30: "To wife Mary or Mercy, To son James Bennett, To son John Bennett, all my rights to lands in Woodstock, Suffolk Co. To daughter Mercy Bennett. To daughter Ruth Bennett. Witnessed by Nathaniel Newell, Nathaniel Searle, and Sarah E. Newell."

Children, born in Little Compton:

- 760. James Bennett,761. Mercy Bennett,born July 10, 1726.
- 762. John Bennett, born June 16, 1728.
- 763. Ruth Bennett, born Oct. 19, 1729.

Among the first members (1704) of the church in Little Compton is James Bennett, later a Ruth Bennett, and later still Mercy Bennett.

154. William <sup>4</sup> Simmons (William, <sup>3</sup> Mercy <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, Sept. 30, 1699; died Jan. 8, 1774; married by Rev. Richard Billings, Dec. 3, 1721, Mary Pearce, daughter of George and Alice

(Hart) Pearce. She was born May 16, 1700, and died Jan. 31, 1755. He died Jan. 8, 1774. His will is dated 2d July, 1772. Son Aaron, sole executor, the east side of farm; to daughter Alice, 20 dollars; the same to daughter Mary; to two granddaughters, Mary Simmons and Priseilla Simmons; to grandson, William Simmons; to George and Adam Simmons, sons; and George, to pay grandson, Caleb Simmons, twenty dollars, and Adam, to pay the same to Nathaniel Simmons, grandson. Children, all born in Little Compton:

- 764. Alice 5 Simmons, born March 13, 1723.
- 765. Isaac Simmons, born Feb. 24, 1725.
- 766. William Simmons, born March 23, 1727; died Dec. 25, 1748.
- 767. Lydia Simmons, born Nov. 5, 1729.
- 768. George Simmons, born Oct. 7, 1731.
- 769. Adam Simmons, born Oct. 11, 1733.
- 770. Aaron Simmons, born March 24, 1736.
- 771. Mary Simmons, born Sept. 13, 1738.
- 155. Lydia <sup>4</sup> Simmons (William, <sup>8</sup> Mercy <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton Dec. 15, 1700; married by Job Almy, Justice, April 4, 1723, Joseph Tillinghast, of Tiverton. I know very little more of this family, only through one child. Tradition says this family moved to Newport, and when the British took possession, remained in town, perhaps sympathizing with them, and perhaps too feeble to leave. Joseph Tillinghast died in 1779; but the destruction of the records by the British has prevented our acquiring further knowledge of this family. Joseph and Lydia (Simmons) Tillinghast had one daughter at least:
  - 772. Sarah <sup>5</sup> Tillinghast.

I think there was, besides, a son, Joseph, who lived in Newport and died in 1798; and among other children had a son, Stukely, making it reasonable to suppose Joseph, Jr., had married into the Stukely family.

156. Joseph Simmons (William, Mercy Pabodie, Elizabeth Alden). Born March 4, 1702, and died July, 1778. In old graveyard, "In memory of Mr. Joseph Simmons, who died June 24, 1778, in ye 75th year of his Age." He married by Rev. Richard Billings (Int. Feb. 19), March 28, 1726, Rebecca Wood, daughter of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Thurston) Wood. She was born in Little Compton Dec. 26, 1704. Joseph Simmons' will, Little Compton Probate Records, Vol. 2, dated 2d April, 1776: To wife Rebecca; to son Edward; to son Jonathan; to son Joseph; to Jeremiah, son of son John deceased; to Abigail and Betty, daughters; and daughter Susannah to have enough of the estate to make her equal to her sisters who are married, and Ephraim to have all the rest.

# Children, born in Little Compton:

- 773. John <sup>5</sup> Simmons, born Jan. 29, 1727.
- 774. Abigail Simmons, born Dec. 7, 1728.
- 775. Edward Simmons, born March 16, 1730.
- 776. Betsey Simmons, born March 8, 1733.
- 777. Jonathan Simmons, born Aug. 20, 1736.
- 778. Ephraim Simmons, born June 29, 1739.
- 779. Susanna Simmons, born July 8, 1742.
- 780. Rebecca Simmons, born Feb. 7, 1746; probably died young, as she is not mentioned in her father's will.
- 781. Joseph Simmons, born —, 1748.
- 157. John <sup>4</sup> Simmons (William, <sup>3</sup> Mercy <sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth <sup>1</sup> Alden). Born Aug. 14, 1704; died Mar. 8, 1774. He married by Sylvester Richmond, Justice (Int. April 2), April 6, 1728, Comfort Shaw, daughter of Israel and (Tallman) Shaw. She was born in Little Compton, Aug. 9, 1709, and died May —, 1785. John Simmons' will, Vol. 2, Little Compton Probate Records, dated 3 Mar., 1774, gives to beloved wife Comfort; to daughters Sarah, Deborah, Comfort, Elizabeth, and Rachel £12 each. To daughters Phebe and Lydia. To John and Zarah, sons and executors. Comfort Simmons' will, Vol. 3, Little Compton Probate Records,

dated 1785: I give to daughter Sarah Pearce, widow; To daughter Deborah Davenport; To daughter Lydia Little widow; To sons John and Zarah a small portion, because they were so well remembered in their father's will. To daughters Rachel Brownell; To daughter Elizabeth Manchester; To daughter Comfort Slocum; To grandson John Pearce; To grandson Ichabod Pearce. Furniture to daughters Comfort Slocum and Lydia Little, and executor son-in-law Thomas Davenport.

Children, born in Little Compton:

- 782. Phebe Simmons, born Dec. 28, 1728; died April 24, 1730. If this date of death is correct then there was another Phebe born, who was probably dead, without children, in 1785, when her mother made her will.
- 783. Sarah Simmons, born Jan. 26, 1730.
- 784. Zarah Simmons, born Oct. 13, 1731.
- 785. Ichabod Simmons, born Nov. 28, 1732; died Feb. 8, 1756.
- 786. Deborah Simmons, born Oct. 13, 1736.
- 787. Ezekial Simmons, born July 25, 1740; died young.
- 788. John Simmons, born Aug. 25 or 26, 1741.
- 789. Comfort Simmons, born Oct. 28, 1743.
- 790. Elizabeth Simmons, born Oct. 14, 1745 or 1747.
- 791. Rachel Simmons, born Nov. 30, 1751.
- 792. Lydia Simmons, born Mar. 1, 1753.

158. Abigail 4 Simmons (William, Mercy 2 Pabodie, Elizabeth 1 Alden). Born in Little Compton, July 14, 1706; married in Little Compton, by Rev. Richard Billings (Int. Nov. 20), Dec. 8, 1736, "Job Palmer of Norwich Conn." I feel sure he is son of John and Elizabeth (Richmond) Palmer, born Sept. 17, 1695, who married, 1st, Priscilla Hilliard, by Rev. Richard Billings (Int. June 19), Sept. 1, 1725. They had (Little Compton Records) Lois of Job and Priscilla Palmer. Priscilla Hilliard was daughter of David and Joanna (Andros) Hilliard. The Hilliards came

from Connecticut to Little Compton, and my theory is that Job and Priscilla Palmer, after the birth of Lois, went to Norwich, Conn., where Priscilla died, and Job returned to Little Compton for his second wife. Hon. Richard Wheeler writes me he cannot place Job Palmer amongst the descendants of Walter Palmer. A Job Palmer was a Revolutionary pensioner in 1841, in Charleston, S. C.

- 159. Rebecca Simmons (William, Mercy Pabodie, Elizabeth Alden). Born May 8, 1708. From her father's will we know she married a "Bagger" (probably meant for Badger). I do not find this family. From certain clues I surmise they went to Providence and that the husband's name was Jonathan. If so, he had a daughter who married a Noyes and had a son Oliver. She married, second, a Snow, of the Bridgewater Snows.
- 160. Mary<sup>4</sup> Simmons (William<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden<sup>1</sup>. Born Oct. 15, 1709. In 1765 "she had already received her part" from her father's estate. This looks as if she was married; but if so, she was married to a Simmons. At the present date I have no other data.
- 161. Benjamin<sup>4</sup> Simmons (William<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden.) Born Feb. 2, 1713; married by Rev. Richard Billings (Int. Nov. 9), Nov. 27, 1734, Mercy Taylor, daughter of Peter and Hannah (Wood) Taylor, born Feb. 24, 1717; died Oct. 3, 1776. He died March 16, 1788. In Old Cemetery: "In memory of Captain Benjamen Simmons, who died March 16, 1788;" also, "In memory of Mercy, wife of Capt. Benjamen Simmons, who died Oct. 3, 1796, in ye 80th year of her age."

His children were all born in Little Compton:

793. Peter<sup>5</sup> Simmons, born May 19, 1735.

- 794. Cornelius Simmons, born March 15, 1737.
- 795. Benjamin Simmons, born Dec. 2, 1739.
- 796. Samuel Simmons, born July 24, 1742.
- 797. Hannah Simmons, born Feb. 21, 1745.
- 798. Abigail Simmons, born Oct. 25, 1748.
- 799. Mary Simmons, born July 31, 1753.
- 800. Ichabod Simmons, born —— 10, 1756.
- 162. Ichabod<sup>4</sup> Simmons (William<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, Jan. 6, 1715; died before 1750. We do not know whom he married, but from his father's will we find he had:
  - 801. Sarah<sup>5</sup> Simmons.
  - 802. Simon Simmons.
  - 803. Baley Simmons.
  - 804. Abigail Simmons.

All under age in 1750.

163. Peleg<sup>4</sup> Simmons (William<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, Dec. 21, 1716. Printed records say he died Jan. 4, 1829, but I feel sure there is a mistake in the year, probably 1809. There is no tradition of very great age among his descendants. I spent an afternoon at Tiverton trying to find his will, or settlement of his estate, but the probate and town records are not indexed, and are all falling to pieces; and soon, if something is not done, there will be none to consult. He lived the latter part of the time in Tiverton, near Adamsville, and the Massachusetts line. Married by Rev. Richard Billings (Int. Nov. 17), Dec. 19, 1739. Mary Brownell, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Crandall) Brownell, born July 15,1717.

Children on Tiverton Records:

- 805. Thomas<sup>5</sup> Simmons, born Sept. 9, 1740.
- 806. Moses Simmons, born Jan. 16, 1743.
- 807. Gideon Simmons, born Dec. 14, 1744.

- 808. Mary Simmons, born Jan. 13, 1747.
- 809. Phebe Simmons, born Apr. 2, 1749.
- 810. Rhoda Simmons, born Mar. 2, 1751.
- 811. Unis Simmons, born Mar. 24, 1753.
- 812. Peleg Simmons, born May 7, 1755.
- 813. Joseph Simmons, born Nov. 7, 1757.
- 814. Abigail Simmons, born Oct. 31, 1760.

Since writing my article on Wm. Simmons and Abigail (Church) Simmons I have reread a letter from Mr. Henry Chace, of Providence, an authority on the Freetown Simmons. He says that in the Freetown graveyard there is a stone to Wm. Simmons, "Died March 22, 1749, in ye 70th year of his age;" and the query comes, Who was he?

166. Isaac<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Isaac<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Married Lydia Cushing, Winsor says daughter of She survived him, and was his only wife. Winsor says he married probably Elizabeth Samms, which is incorrect. He was married to Lydia Cushing, Oct. 24, 1722. He died Aug. 30, 1767, aged 66. We find his will in Plymouth, 19 vol., 544-543 pages, dated 31 Aug., 1764. Isaac Simmons, of Duxburough: "To beloved wife Lydia Simmons; she to do 1 with my son Levi Simmons in maintaining my sister Priscilla; to son Jehiel; to son and daughter Samuel and Jeruiah Holmes; to dau. Martha Louden; to two daughters Susannah and Lydia, until they arrive at 18, and Lydia at 15." Witnessed by Cornelius Delano, Mary Peterson, and Nehemiah Thomas. From the will and Winsor's "Duxbury" we form the family as follows. I question in regard to Consider, but if not here do not know where to place him:

- 815. Levi<sup>5</sup> Simmons.
- 816. Consider Simmons (?), born Apr. 30, 1734.
- 817. Jeheil Simmons (may be Ahiel, misread by me).
- 818. Jeruiah Simmons.
- 819. Martha Simmons, born Feb. 20, 1736.

- 820. Martha Simmons, born Mar. 13, 1746.
- 821. Susannah Simmons, under 18 in 1767.
- 822. Lydia Simmons, under 15 in 1767.
- 167. Sarah<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Isaac<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden) married Abraham Howland in 1731. He was of Pembroke, son of Abraham and Ann (Colson) Howland (see Davis' "Landmarks"), and had, presumably in Pembroke:
  - 823. Ann<sup>5</sup> Howland, 1732.
  - 824. Hannah Howland, 1734.
  - 825. Sylvesta Howland, 1736.
  - 826. Rachel Howland, 1738.
  - 827. Sarah Howland, 1740.
  - 828. Betty Howland, 1743.
  - 829. Lydia Howland, 1745.
  - 830. Rebecca Howland.
  - 831. Abraham Howland.
  - 832. Isaac Howland.
  - 833. Joanna Howland.
  - 834. Jacob Howland.
  - 835. Naomi Howland.
  - 836. Ruth Howland.
  - 837. Content Howland.

This family is given in the Howland Genealogy.

- 168. Aaron<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Isaac<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden) married Sarah Holmes, of Marshfield, in 1749, and had:
  - 838. Abraham<sup>5</sup> Simmons.
  - 839. Mary Simmons, 1755.
  - 840. Jesse Simmons, 1760, and perhaps others (Davis' "Landmarks").
- 169. Priscilla Simmons (Isaac, Mercy Pabodie, Elizabeth Alden). Born 1710; died unmarried in Duxbury, March 5, 1768, aged 58.
  - 170 Joshua Delano (Martha Simmons, Mercy Pabodie,

Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born Oct. 30, 1700; married Hopestill Peterson, daughter of Jonathan and Lydia (Thacher) Peterson, born Jan. 20, 1703.

Children, born in Duxbury:

- 841. Lydia<sup>5</sup> Delano, born July, 12, 1723.
- 842. Rhoda Delano, born Feb. 28, 1731.
- 843. Sylvia Delano, born Jan. 22, 1733.
- 844. Hopestill Delano (a son), June 19, 1735.
- 845. Beza Delano (a daughter), Nov. 24, 1737.
- 846. Martha Delano, born Sept. 21, 1739.
- 847. Wealthea Delano, born Dec. 7, 1741.
- 848. Joshua Delano, born Sept. 30, 1744.
- 849. Thankful Delano, born ----; died Jan. 13, 1749.

I have taken this family from Winsor's "Duxbury."

- 172. Abiah<sup>4</sup> Delano (Martha<sup>3</sup> Simmons, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Duxbury, Aug. 1704; married Nathaniel Bartlett, Dec. 16, 1725. He was son of Ichabod and Elizabeth (Waterman) Bartlett, and Nathaniel's brother, Josiah Bartlett, went to Connecticut, and I think this family went also, though Marshfield records may give them.
- 173. Amos<sup>4</sup> West (Martha<sup>3</sup> Simmons, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born 1710; married 1728 Sarah Cutler, of Waterton, and had children:
  - 850. Reuben<sup>5</sup> West, born 1730.
  - 851. Simeon West, born 1731.
  - 852. Levi West, born 1734.
  - 853. Judah West, born 1737.
  - 854. Amos West.
  - 855. Abigail West, born 1741.
  - 856. Bathsheba West, born 1743.
  - 857. Sarah West, born 1745.
- 174. Nathan<sup>4</sup> West (Martha<sup>3</sup> Simmons, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born about 1711. He lived in Lebanon,

Conn. He "married 1st" (I know of no second marriage) Jerusha<sup>4</sup> Hinckley, daughter of Gershom<sup>3</sup> Hinckley (John<sup>2</sup>, Samuel<sup>1</sup>) and Mary<sup>4</sup> (Buell) Hinckley (Deacon John<sup>3</sup>, Samuel<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>). They had children:

- 858. Samuel<sup>5</sup> West, born 1743.
- 859. Mary West, born 1747.
- 860. Lucy West, born 1751.
- 861. Welthea West, born 1753.
- 862. Charles West, born 1759.
- 863. Seth West, born ----.
- 864. Calvin West, born —.
- 865. George West, born ——.
- 175. (Sarah West) The West family was sent me by a descendant of Nathan, but he knew nothing more of Sarah and Moses.
- 177. Zackariah<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). I have the marriage only of this Zackariah somewhere among my notes. I will give it later on. I know nothing more, and think, after 1749, he probably went to Maine, Connecticut, or Western Massachusetts.
- 179. Benjamin<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). He married, Oct. 26, 1731, Flar Sampson, daughter of Nathaniel and Keturah (Chandler) Sampson. She was born Nov 16, 1708, and died Apr. 13, 1772, aged 63. He died about 1748, as on 22 March, 1748, Moses Simmons is appointed guardian of a minor daughter (Keturah) of Benjamin Simmons, and in Book II., pages 202, 205, Moses Simmons is appointed guardian to the children of Benjamin Simmons, Benjamin, Lucy, Micha, Perez, Elizabeth, Keturah, and on page 133 Isaac Partridge is appointed guardian of Perez, son of Benjamin Simmons.

Children, all probably born in Duxbury:

866. Benjamin<sup>5</sup> Simmons.

- 867. Lucy Simmons.
- 868. Micha Simmons.
- 869. Perez Simmons.
- 870. Elizabeth Simmons.
- 871. Keturah Simmons.
- 181. Content<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Content Simmons died in Duxbury, 1784.
- 186. Aaron<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Benjamin<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Among my notes I find this Aaron placed as the one that married Sarah Holmes (see 168), and as Aaron Simmons administers on his father's estate I think Judge Davis is wrong in giving Aaron to Isaac, also in giving him Ichabod, whom we will find in the family of Moses Simmons.
- 187. Nathaniel<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Deacon Nathaniel Simmons (No. 16, Winsor's "Duxbury") married his cousin, Mercy Simmons, Jan. 12, 1739, daughter of Moses and Rachel (Sampson) Simmons.

I take the children from Winsor's "Duxbury":

- 872. Mary<sup>5</sup> Simmons.
- 873. Zebediah Simmons.
- 874. Sarah Simmons.
- 875. Dorothy Simmons.
- 876. Stephen Simmons.
- 877. Rachel Simmons.
- 188. Zedediah<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). He married a granddaughter of Joshua Soule, mentioned in his will, 1767. I find no trace of this family. Perhaps father of "grandson, Joseph," mentioned in father's will.
  - 878. Joseph<sup>5</sup> Simmons.
- 189. Rebecca<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born 1714; married Reuben Peterson, July

6, 1732. He was son of Jonathan and Lydia (Thacher) Peterson, born in Duxbury, April 8, 1710. She died Jan. 25, 1764, aged 50.

They had, born in Duxbury:

- 879. Elijah<sup>5</sup> Peterson.
- 880. Mary Peterson; died aged 38, June 25, 1772.
- 881. Nehemiah Peterson.
- 882. Abigail Peterson.
- 883. Sarah Peterson.
- 884. Lydia Peterson.
- 885. Thaddeus Peterson.
- 886. Luther Peterson.
- 887. Reuben Peterson.
- 190. Ichabod Simmons (Moses, Mercy Pabodie, Elizabeth Alden). I am puzzled just where to place Ichabod. Judge Davis says he is son of Isaac Simmons, as well as Aaron referred to above, and in the family of Isaac there is a Consider, and we find the same name here. The reader must judge. Ichabod Simmons married, first, Lydia Soule, "youngest daughter" of Josiah and Lydia (Delano) Soule. She was born Oct. 2, 1719. Her father so calls her in 1762, when he makes his will. She died before 1781, when Ichabod Simmons marries Widow Mercy Sprague.

Ichabod and Lydia (Soule) Simmons had:

- 888. Consider<sup>5</sup> Simmons, born Sept. 27, 1744.
- 889. Noah Simmons, born April 2, 1745.
- 890. Lemuel Simmons, born Feb. 22, 1749.
- 891. Abigail Simmons, born May 24, 1753.
- 892. Nathaniel Simmons, born April 3, 1757.
- 893. Ichabod Simmons, born March 25, 1761.
- 191. William<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Moses<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). He was executor of his father's will in 1761. I know nothing more.
  - 192. Mercy<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Moses<sup>3</sup>, Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliza-

beth<sup>1</sup> Alden). She married her cousin, Nathaniel Simmons, See his family; No. 107.

193. Lydia<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Moses,<sup>3</sup> Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). She married Judah Delano, son of Philip and Elizabeth (Dingley) Delano. He died May, 1816, aged 92.

## They had:

- 894. Alpheus Delano, bapt. 1744.
- 895. Saluma Delano, bapt, 1746.
- 896. Malachi Delano, bapt. 1748.
- 897. Judah Delano, bapt. 1752,
- 898. Jepthah Delano, born Oct. 29, 1754.
- 899. Priscilla Delano, bapt. 1756.
- 900. Philip Delano, bapt. 1761.
- 901. Tirzah Delano, bapt. 1765.
- 902. Eunice Delano, bapt. 1768.

194. Deborah<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Moses,<sup>3</sup> Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). She married, Dec. 25, 1754, Jacob Weston, son of Joseph and Mercy (Peterson) Weston. He was born in 1724 in Duxbury, and died in Boscawen, Me., Nov. 4, 1822, aged 92 years. His wife died Dec. 7, 1832, aged 101 years. "While a resident of Duxbury he was an influential man. Was one of the Committee of Inspection in 1775. In 1785 he, with his family, removed to Boscawen, Me., where his descendants have since resided."—N. E. Hist. and Gen. Reg., 1887.

# Children born in Duxbury:

- 903. William Weston, born 1755.
- 904. Jacob Weston, lived and died on Duck hill, Duxbury.
- 905. Abigail Weston.

- 195. Anna<sup>4</sup> Simmons (Moses, <sup>3</sup> Mercy<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden). Married Peleg Oldham, 1764, Nov. 29. Winsor says a brother of John Oldham.
- 196. Samuel<sup>4</sup> Seabury (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Elizabeth<sup>1</sup> Alden) The following extract from Joseph<sup>3</sup> Seabury's will was hastily made and it is possible some names were omitted. The records at Tiverton are in a miserable condition—some leaves lost and no index. A marked contrast to the records of Little Compton.

Will of Joseph Seabury of Tiverton, dated July, 1747, Benjamin Seabury, executor. Sons Sion, John and Ichabod; daughter Mary, wife of Tobes Southworth; daughters Betty and Sarah; two grandchildren Thomas and Mary Lawton, children of deceased daughter Phebe, wife of Job Lawton; John and Betty Seabury, children of son Joseph Seabury, deceased. Will proved Sept., 1755.

Samuel<sup>4</sup> Seabury was born in Little Compton June 5, 1702; died March, 1768. Samuel Seabury of Tiverton, and Lydia Ladd of Little Compton, married by Thomas Church, Justice. (Int. Feb. 12) March 2, 1732. She was the daughter of Wm. Ladd and Elizabeth (Tompkins) Ladd, and was born 1710.

Children, born in Little Compton:

- 910. Barnabas Seabury, born June 2, 1732; died Nov. 13, 1753.
- 911. Lillis Seabury, born May 7, 1734.
- 912. Patience Seabury, born May 14, 1736.
- 913. Comfort Seabury, born July 4, 1738.
- 914. Nathaniel Seabury, born June 27, 1740; died Jan. 6, 1754.
- 915. William Seabury, born May 2, 1742; died Dec. 19, 1753.
- 916. Phebe Seabury, born March 15, 1744.
- 917. Mary Seabury.

- 918. Hannah Seabury, born 1746.
- 919. Abigail Seabury, born Feb. 7, 1749.
- 920. Deborah Seabury, born Aug. 12, 1752; died Nov. 20, 1753.
- 921. William Seabury, born Jan. 24, 1755; died March 3, 1837.
- 197. Martha<sup>4</sup> Seabury, (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton, Feb. 7, 1704. Int. of marriage published in Bristol, July 12, 1723, to Benjamin Manchester.

The following children are recorded on Bristol Records:

- 922. Ruth Manchester, born Jan. 15, 1726-7.
- 923. Rachel Manchester, born Oct. 14, 1729.
- 924. Seabury Manchester, born March 30, 1732; died May 13, 1732.
- 925. Mary Manchester, born April 2, 1733.
- 926. William Manchester, born Feb. 12, 1735-6; died 22 Aug., 1757, on the coast of Africa.
- 927. Seabury Manchester, born Aug. 27, 1740.
- 928. Nathaniel Manchester, born "sic" Feb. 19, 1744.
- 929. Benjamin Manchester, died May 15, 1760.

Martha, widow of Benjamin Manchester, died Jan. 25, 1780. "A daughter of Benjamin Manchester died Feb. I9, 1744."

Martha Seabury was not mentioned in her father's will. Neither does he mention other daughters—probably because they were well provided for—but we have their marriages, from the Family Record.

198. Joseph<sup>4</sup> Seabury, (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, Dec. 2, 1705. Family tradition says "lost at sea".

Children, named in their grandfather's will:

- 930. John Seabury.
- 931. Betty Seabury.

199. Benjamin<sup>4</sup> Seabury, (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton, Jan. 20, 1708; died Sept. 11, 1773. He married 1733 Rebecca Southworth, daughter of Edward and Mary (Fobes) Southworth, born in Little Compton, Dec. 22, 1708.

Children, born in Little Compton:

- 932. Mercy Seabury, born Aug. 13, 1734.
- 933. Mary Seabury, born Jan. 25, 1736.
- 934. Rebecca Seabury, born Jan. 25, 1736.
- 935. Ruth Seabury, born Nov. 26, 1739.
- 936. Benjamin Seabury, born Jan. 24, 1743.
- 937. Fobes Seabury, born March 29, 1745; died Jan. 4, 1746.
- 938. Gideon Seabury, born March 1, 1747; died Oct. 29, 1827.
- 939. Constant Seabury, born June 19, 1749.
- 940. Isaac Seabury, born Nov. 3, 1751.

200. Sion<sup>4</sup> Seabury, (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born March 27, 1713; died Aug. 10, 1801. Sion Seabury of Tiverton and Anna Butts of Little Compton, (Int. May 21, 1733) married May, 1733. She was born March, 1709, daughter of Moses Butts.

Children on Tiverton Records:

- 941. Aaron Seabury, born Aug. 6, 1733.
- 942. Joseph Seabury, born June 20, 1736.
- 943. Philip Seabury, born Dec. 6, 1740.
  - 944. Alice Seabury, born Dec. 8, 1742.
  - 945. Peleg Seabury, born June 13, 1745.
  - 946. Dorcas Seabury, born Jan. 9, 1748.

201. Mary<sup>4</sup> Seabury, (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born April 17, 1715. Married (Int. Sept. 30) Oct. 19, 1738, by Rev. Richard Billings, to Fobes Southworth. He was son of Edward and Mary (Fobes) Southworth. I think this family moved away after 1743.

Children on Little Compton Records:

- 947. Priscilla Southworth, born March, 1740.
- 948. Rebecca Southworth, born May, 1741.
- 949. John Southworth, born April, 1743.
- 202. Phebe<sup>4</sup> Seabury, (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Tiverton, March 2, 1723; married Job Lawton of Bristol, born April 12, 1725.

Phebe, wife of Job Lawton, died Oct. 2, 1746. Children on Bristol Records:

- 950. Thomas Lawton, born July 20, 1745.
- 951. William Lawton, born Sept. 11, 1746.
- 203. Hannah<sup>4</sup> Seabury, (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Tiverton Feb. 7, 1724–5. Int. of marriage to Christopher Cadman Jan. 16, 1745–6. No marriage recorded. He was born Sept. 4, 1717, son of William and Almy Cadman. They lived in Dartmouth and had, recorded there:
  - 952. Mary Cadman, born Dec. 22, 1746.
  - 953. William Cadman, born Jan. 29, 1748.
  - 954. Alpheus Cadman, born Aug. 10, 1749.
  - 955. Amy Cadman, born May 19, 1751.
  - 956. Deborah Cadman, born April 21, 1754.
  - 957. Gideon Cadman, born March 26, 1756.
- 204. Gideon<sup>4</sup> Seabury (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Tiverton, Nov. 26, 1728. The family record says "died young".
- 205. John<sup>4</sup> Seabury (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Tiverton Nov. 26, 1728. The family record says "removed to Oblong". From Rev. George Seabury, a descendant, I have the following: "married about 1749 Mary Manchester. She was born about 1728 and died in Poughkeepsie, New York, about 1796. He died in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., about 1799. He was a farmer and tanner. He and

his son John Seabury signed the Association in Poughkeepsie; Dutchess Co., June–July, 1775, page 77, Calendar of Historical Mss., New York Revolutionary Rolls. He and his son John also served in the Revolution, in Dutchess Co. Militia. See New York in the Revolution, Edition of 1898.

### Children:

- 958. Gamaliel Seabury, born Aug. 7, 1750, in Tiverton; probably died young as there is nothing further in any of the family records.
- 959. John Seabury, born in Oblong, N. Y., May 26, 1754; died about 1814 in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
- 960. Tilman Seabury, born May 2, 1755, in Oblong, N. Y.; died in Poughkeepsie April 8, 1823.
- 961. Sarah Seabury, born in Oblong; died about 1800.
- 962. Mary Seabury, born in Oblong or Poughkeepsie; died about 1834; unmarried.
- 963. Joseph Seabury, born in Oblong or Poughkeepsie.
- 964. Phebe Seabury, born in Oblong or Poughkeepsie in 1772.
- 206. Bettey Seabury (Joseph³, Martha² Pabodie, Eliz.¹ Alden). Born in Tiverton Feb. 2, 1729–30. The old family record says, "married a Knowles". If so it was after the death of her first husband. Dartmouth Records say Daniel Allen and Elizabeth Seabury published Aug. 24, 1751, married by Samuel Willis Oct. 16, 1751. There is no record of a family, but later we find Humphrey Allen, son Daniel and Betty Allen, born Dec. 17, 1754, married Rebecca Burgess of Little Compton, born July 4, 1755, and married July 17, 1775. Then follows his family. There may have been other children, but they were not recorded. Neither do we find Knowles on the Dartmouth Records.
- 207. Sarah<sup>4</sup> Seabury (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Tiverton Dec. 4, 1732. Family record says, "married Edward Cadman". No record of family in Tiverton, Little Compton or Dartmouth.

208. Ichabod<sup>4</sup> Seabury (Joseph<sup>3</sup>, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born Jan. 18, 1734, in Tiverton, R. I. Died Oct. 30, 1788, in Harwich, (North Parish) now Brewster. Married in 1756 Temperance (Peace) Gibbs, daughter of George and Deborah (Searle) Pearse and widow of Thomas Gibbs. She was born 1723 and died in Brewster March 6, 1793, aged 70. He was a tanner.

Their children were:

- 965. Rhoda Seabury, born June 7, 1757, and died Oct. 6, 1768, aged 11 years.
- 966. David Seabury, born Nov. 14, 1758; died Aug. 28, 1801.
- 967. Sarah Seabury, born Aug. 2, 1760.
- 968. Joseph Seabury, born Sept. 11, 1762.
- 969. Thomas Seabury, born Oct. 21, 1764.
- 210. Hannah<sup>4</sup> Sawyer (Martha<sup>3</sup> Seabury, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz. Alden). Born in Little Compton or Tiverton Nov. 27, 1710. From Little Compton Records: "Married—John Williston of Little Compton and Hannah Sawyer of Tiverton, by Rev. Richard Billings. Int. July 19, married Aug. 27, 1730." He was son of Ichabod Williston (born 1667; died 1736) and Dorothy his wife.)

Children on Little Compton Records:

- 970. Seabury Williston, born July 27, 1731.
- 971. Lucretia Williston, born April 2, 1733. died 1806.

I think there were more children and that this family moved away.

211. Mercy<sup>4</sup> Sawyer (Martha<sup>3</sup> Seabury, Martha<sup>4</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Tiverton or Little Compton Jan. 28, 1711. On Tiverton Records: "Samuel Reed of Freetown and Mercy Sawyer of Tiverton married by Rev. Richard Billings Feb. 6, 1741–2." He was son of Joseph and Sarah Reed of

Freetown, born Dec. 23, 1715. In Reed genealogy her name is given Marcia—incorrectly He was a prominent man in the town; known as Deacon. He had no sons.

#### Children:

- 973. Dorothy Reed, born 1745.
- 974. Priscilla Reed, born 1747.
- 975. Ruth Reed, born 1750; died single.
- 212. Mary<sup>4</sup> Sawyer (Martha<sup>3</sup> Seabury, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born Aug. 28, 1714. Alive and unmarried in 1733.
- 213. Abigail<sup>4</sup> Sawyer (Martha<sup>3</sup> Seabury, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born Oct. 4, 1716; married (Tiverton Records) by Rev. Richard Billings Nov. 1, 1743, Joseph Taber. Joseph Taber may have been son of Ebenezer and Abigail Taber, and if so born Sept. 21, 1721, making him five years younger than his wife.

They had—Tiverton Records:

- 976. Judith Taber, born March 6, 1745.
- 977. Lemuel Taber, born Dec. 30, 1748.
- 978. Isaac: Taber, born Nov. 13, 1750.
- 979. Iehabod Taber, born March 11, 1755.

They had recorded in Little Compton:

- 980. Lemuel Sawyer, born Nov. 13, 1748; died March 4, 1804.
- 981. Antrace Sawyer, born Oct. 30, 1751.
- 982. Priseilla Sawyer, born March 20, 1754.
- 983. Josiah Sawyer, born June 26, 1756 and died 1800.

- 984. John Sawyer, born Sept. 19, 1759.
- 985. Sarah Sawyer, born Sept. 17, 1761.

Josiah Sawyer married 2<sup>nd</sup> [Little Compton Records] "Deacon Josiah Sawyer of Little Compton and Mrs. Anstress Wilcox of Tiverton, married by Lemuel Taber, Justice, Jan. 27, 1761. (There is a mistake in the copying of the old records, given 1791.)

One child:

986. Isaac Sawyer, born Oct. 29, 1763; died Jan., 1804.

215. Judith<sup>4</sup> Briggs (Elizabeth<sup>3</sup> Fobes, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born in Little Compton May 27, 1710; married 1<sup>st</sup> Jeremiah Wilcox of Dartmouth. Int. Feb. 11, 1738, and in a parenthesis on Little Compton Records says she married 2<sup>nd</sup> an Amory. I have not as yet found the second marriage and have my doubts of it. A John Amory marries a Judith Briggs in 1731, but unless she changed her name to Briggs after death or separation from John Amory she could not have been this Judith who married Jeremiah Wilcox. I find no marriage in any case, but on Dartmouth records the publishment of Jeremiah Briggs of Dartmouth and Judah Briggs of Little Compton, Feb. 13, 1738. I have not placed Jeremiah Wilcox to my satisfaction. He married first Mary——? and had by her (Dartmouth Records) Sarah, born Nov. 13, 1734, and Mary, born Nov. 13, 1736.

Children of Jeremiah Wilcox and Judith his wife. (Dartmouth Records.)

- 987. Samuel Wilcox, born 1739.
- 988. William Wilcox, born May 23, 1741.
- 989. Benjamin Wilcox, born Sept. 14, 1747.

I found the will of Jeremiah Wilcox at Taunton, but have mislaid my notes giving date of the will. It reads:

"I, Jeremiah Wilcox of Dartmouth, yeoman, advanced in

years. I give and bequeath to loving wife Judith that part of the homestead I have hereinafter given my son Benjamen so long as she remains my widow and no longer. In lieu of her thirds to my estate and whereas I received of James Honeyman, Esq., about 14 hundred pounds old tenor, and of Samuel Almy £500, and of Gideon Sanford £500, all which with other money all which I expected to find in this chest, but upon search I found it was all gone; my said wife and no other had the keeping of the keys, whereupon I shrewdly suspect she has concealed the same; all which I give her for her part of my moveable estate, and if she see cause to accept the same; but if otherwise she delivering up said money to my executors hereafter named, she to have then, and not upon any other conditions, the third part of my moveable estate after my debts are paid. There is a gold necklace I found my wife which I desire after she has done with it may go to my granddaughter Mary Wilcox." (He then gives) "to loving son Samuel; to loving son Wm. Wilcox; to loving son Benjamen; I give to dau. Sarah's children, she being dead; I give to Mary's children my gold buttons and silver shoe buckles; I give to sons Samuel and Jeremiah." (The last name I am not sure of. Certainly on Dartmouth Records we find no Jeremiah and it is probable I read it wrong.) Loving son William Jeremiah Wilcox. sole executor.

- 217. Elizabeth<sup>4</sup> Briggs (Elizabeth<sup>3</sup> Fobes, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie. Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born Dec. 17, 1713; married Shippee; says L. C. Recbut, "may have been wrong in copying and may be Skiffe". I would like to find this family.
- 218. William Briggs, born in Little Compton April 11, 1715. [Born 24 April, Town records.] Probably the one who married Abishag Records, July 16, 1738, by Sylvester Richmond. Wm. Briggs died Aug., 1803; his wife, Abishag Records, was born 1716 and their children:

- 990. John Briggs, born 1739.
- 991. Cornelius Briggs, born Jan. 9, 1742; died May 2, 1803.
- 992. Elizabeth Briggs, born March 30, 1744.
- 993. Ruth Briggs, born June 2, 1746.
- 994. Waller Briggs, born Nov. 9, 1748.
- 995. Richard Briggs, born April 14, 1751.
- 996. Judith Briggs, born April 19, 1753.
- 997. Betsey Briggs, born March 23, 1755.
- 998. Job Briggs, born Feb. 27, 1757.
- 999. Martha Briggs, born Dec. 29, 1759; died Sept. 11, 1842.
- 219. Catherine<sup>4</sup> Briggs (Elizabeth<sup>3</sup> Fobes, Martha<sup>2</sup> Seabury, Eliz<sup>1</sup>. Alden). Born in Little Compton, March 17, 1717; married [Int., Dec. 10, 1737]. 8 Jan., 1737–38 at Portsmouth, Barnet or Barney Sisson of Portsmouth, son of James and Debarah Sisson, born Jan. 24, 1712–13.

They had:

- 1000 Deborah Sisson, born April 1, 1741.
- 1001 Rodman Sisson, born June 2, 1741.

They had:

- 1002. Ezekiel Shaw.
- 1003. Phebe Shaw.
- 1004. Caleb Shaw.

belonged to Phebe, I do not know and there are no records at Dartmouth to clear it up.

224. Lovet Briggs (Elizabeth Fobes, Martha Seabury, Eliza Alden). Born 1728; married Freelove Dring of Tiverton, Int. Oct. 5, 1735. [Was Freelove Dring daughter of Thomas and Mary (Butler) Dring; born March 1, 1720?] Lovet Briggs lived in Tiverton.

Children from Tiverton Records:

- 1005. Fobes Briggs, "of Lovet and Freelove", born Sept. 27, 1737.
- 1006. William Briggs, born Sept. 19, 1743.
- 1007. Zadd Briggs, born Sept. 13, 1745.
- 1008. John Briggs, born Oct. 4, 1747.
- 1009. Ephram Briggs, born June 21, 1949.
- 230. Fobes<sup>4</sup> Little (Constant<sup>3</sup> Fobes, Martha<sup>2</sup> Seabury, Eliz<sup>1</sup>. Alden). Born in Marshfield, March 9, 1712–13. Died in Little Compton, R. I., 1801; married about 1733. Sarah———? Children on Little Compton Records:
  - 1010. Lucy Little, born 1734.
  - 1011. Fobes Little, born about 1736.
  - 1012. Sarah Little, born Jan. 31, 1739. I have no record of her marriage.
  - 1013. Ruth Little, born April 2, 1742.
  - 1014. Samuel Little, born March 2, 1747.
  - 1015. Joseph Little, born May 6, 1749.
  - 1016. John Little, born July 19, 1754,
  - 1017. Betsey Little, born Jan. 6, 1717.
- 231. John<sup>4</sup> Little (Constant<sup>3</sup> Fobes, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz<sup>1</sup>. Alden). Born in Marshfield, June 30, I714. I think he married an Otis or a descendant of an Otis, from the names occurring in his family. I find an account of him in the History of Windham County, among the personal sketches. John Little came to "Lebanon Crank" in 1740. He had children:

- 1018. Gamaliel Little.
- 1019. John Little, born 1754.
- 1020. Consider Little, born 1746.
- 1021. Otis Little.
- 1022. Rebecca Little.
- 1023. Faith Little.
- 1024. May Little.
- 1025. Charles Little, d.
- 1026. Charles Little.

232. Anna<sup>4</sup> Little (Constant<sup>3</sup> Fobes, Martha<sup>2</sup> Pabodie, Eliz<sup>1</sup>. Alden). Born Jan. 30, 1715–16; died in Marshfield, March 11, 1791. She married Abijah White of Marshfield, son of John<sup>4</sup> White (Daniel<sup>3</sup>, Peregrine<sup>2</sup>, William<sup>1</sup>) and Susannah (Sherman) White (Samuel). He was born Oct. 8, 1706. "He purchased the paternal estate of his uncle, Joseph White on his removal to Lebanon, Conn., and his grandchildren were the last of the name and family to occupy it. Abijah White was the famous Marshfield Loyalist, and died in Boston, Oct. 29, 1775; buried in King's Chapel Yard, sermon by Rev. Dr. Waters." (White Genealogy, recent issue 1897.)

Children born in Marshfield:

- 1027. Abijah White, born Nov. 17, 1745; died Feb. 8, 1746.
- 1028. Deborah White, born Aug. 20, 1746; died Oct 19, 1746.
- 1029. Abijah White, born Dec. 8, 1747.
- 1030. Sarah White, born March 29, 1849, died.
- 1031. William White, born Aug. 9, 1752.
- 1032. John White, born Sept. 9, 1753.
- 1033. Auna White, born Oct. 27, 1759.
- 1034. Priscilla White, born Oct. 17, 1760.

234. Ephraim<sup>4</sup> Little (Constant<sup>3</sup> Fobes, Martha<sup>2</sup> Seabury, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden) Born in Marshfield, April 15, 1718. I do not know whom he married, but I have had sent to me the following record.

#### Children:

- 1035. Ephraim Little, died unmarried.
- 1036. John Little, married and had three children.

Thomas<sup>4</sup> Little (Constant<sup>3</sup> Fobes, Martha<sup>2</sup> Seabury, Eliz. Alden). Born in Marshfield, June 16, 1719; died in Mrshfield, Dec. 11, 1783; married 1st Abigail Howland, who died in less than a year of small pox, without children. He married 2nd in 1750 Sarah, daughter of Kenelm and Patience (Dotey) Baker. She was born April 12, 1726 and died Nov. 29, 1792 of small pox and was buried in the family lot in Her father, Kenelm Baker of North Dubury, Marshfield. was born Nov. 3, 1695; died May 22, 1771; married Jan. 22, 1791 Patience Dotey, daughter of John and granddaughter of Edward Dotey of the Mayflower, and Faith (Clark) Dotey. Kenelm Baker was son of Kenelm Baker and Sarah Bradford, (Major William, Gov. Wm.) and grandson of Samuel Baker, and Eleanor Winslow, daughter of Kenelm Winslow and Eleanor Newton his wife.

Thomas Little married 3rd in his old age, Lucy Brown, but she had no children.

He lived in "Norcut Farm," Marshfield. He belonged to the Church of England. He was of Tory sympathies, and is said to have been one of the signers of the application for royal troops to protect loyal subjects of England in Marshfield.

All his children by second wife, born in Marshfield:

- 1037. Charles Little, born May 28, 1715; never married.
- 1038. Abigail Little, born Jan. 20, 1753.
- 1039. Sarah Little, June 8, 1755.
- 1040. Ruth Little, Aug. 19, 1757.
- 1041. Thomas Little, Nov. 1, 1759.
- 1042. William Henry Little, born April 2, 1761.
- 1045. Elizabeth Little, born March 25, 1764.
- 1046. Doty Little, born Oct. 3, 1766.
- 1047. Otis Little, born March 27, 1769.

1048. Avery Little, born Dec. 29, 1717; died April, 1791, lost at sea; never married.

I am largely indebted to Rev. Edward Porter Little, a descendant, for details in regard to this family and for many valuable facts in regard to the other Little's of Marshfield.

235. Wm.<sup>4</sup> Little (Constant<sup>3</sup> Fobes, Martha<sup>2</sup> Seabury, Eliz.<sup>1</sup> Alden). Born Marshfield, Mass., Aug. 31, 1720. Went to Lebanon, Conu., and Norwich, Conn. Family tradition, as given by Rev. Edward P. Little, says he married Abigail White. Miss Marcia A. Thomas says he married Sybil Metcalf. In Colchester, Conn., I find the marriage of a Wm. Little to Rachael Townsend, married Nov. 5, 1745, (see Conn. marriages). At Lebanon, Conn., I find the marriage record of a William Little to Sybil Metcalf, Nov. 10, 1748. He may have had three wives or one of the Williams may have come from Rev. Ephraim<sup>4</sup> Little (David<sup>3</sup>, Ephraim<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) who was settled in Hebron, Conn. The family record says he had the following children:

1049. A daughter, married a White and had at least one daughter, Sybil.

1050. Jonathan Little.

1051. William Little.



